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Truce Declared in House Battle Late Yesterday After Long Session.

SECOND FILIBUSTER BEGUN

Hostilities Will Be Resumed Over Omnibus Claims Bill This Forenoon.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—A truce entered into shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon brought the long filibuster in the House against the omnibus war claims bill temporarily to an end.

The agreement was reached following an intermission of three hours devoted to memorial services and eulogies to the late Senator Clay of Georgia and the late Representative Brownlow of Tennessee. These services, occurring at midday Sunday, seemed to put the House combatants in a more peaceful frame of mind. A recess was ordered until 10 a. m. tomorrow when the fighting will be resumed.

When the House convenes an effort will be made to adopt a rule shutting off further delay. It will be bitterly fought by a new band of filibusters made up of former advocates of the measure as it came from the Senate.

Representative Mann, who conducted the original filibuster, ended his fight when he succeeded in having the old French spoliation and the navy yard overtime claims stricken out. This was accomplished when the House voted to substitute a House bill for the Senate bill.

The House bill carried only war claims which have been adjudicated in the court of claims. The Democrats who were particularly interested in the war claims affecting southern persons, were opposed to the spoliation claims. When they voted to strike out the latter, however, they lost the support of the Republican members who favored the omnibus bill, because it included the French claims.

Realizing that the new House bill probably had not the slightest chance of passing the Senate, Mr. Mann ceased his filibuster. It was immediately taken up, however, by Representatives Gardner of Massachusetts and Bennett and Parsons of New York, and several New England members who said unless the bill contained the spoliations claims it should not pass. They will offer long amendments to the House bill tomorrow until the rule excludes them.

There was talk tonight that a general rule would be adopted providing for the consideration of all bills in the remainder of the session under suspension of the rules. This means that debate will be cut down and that measures will be rushed through as fast as possible. This action would dispose effectually of the rumors that some of the House leaders were planning to bring about an extra session. If an extra session is called, as now seems probable, it is believed the House will be in a position to throw the entire blame for it on the Senate.

The House remained in session all last night and until a few minutes before 4 o'clock this afternoon. Practically nothing was accomplished in the last 12 hours of the sitting except the pronouncement of the eulogies, which were permitted by unanimous consent. The remainder of the day was passed in waiting for a quorum.

Sergeants-at-arms were sent through the city at 6 o'clock this morning. Generally speaking they did not serve their warrants on members until 4 o'clock. Even then there were no physical arrests, the members being quite willing to return. Half of the Democrats had been sent home to

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IMPORTANT RULINGS BY SUPREME COURT LOOKED FOR TODAY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—After three weeks recess, the supreme court of the United States will convene tomorrow to hand down decisions and to resume the hearing and arguments in cases on the calendar. It is generally believed the court had under consideration in the recess the dissolution suits brought under the antitrust law against the burley society and the tobacco corporation, as well as the suit involving the constitutionality of the corporation tax provision of the Payne-Aldrich tariff act and the validity of the contempt sentences imposed on the heads of the American Federation of Labor for the alleged violation of a boycott injunction.

Whether a decision has been reached in any of these cases, which were argued just previous to the recess, is known only to the court. No intimation has been given of what decisions may be announced tomorrow.

The first cases to be argued after the recess will be a group involving the constitutionality of the employers' liability law, passed by Congress in 1908, to free employes of railroads engaged in interstate commerce from the application of the fellow-servant rule.

SEVEN MEET DEATH WHEN HOUSE BURNS

Father Only Member of Family to Escape Wife Killed by Jump.

SUTTON, W. Va., Feb. 19.—Seven persons lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the home of J. D. Hardin, in this city, early today. Only Mr. Hardin escaped, the six remaining members of his family and a little girl who made her home with the Hardins, perishing in the flames.

The fire was caused by a natural gas grate. When Mrs. Hardin awoke, the entire first floor was ablaze. Awakening her husband, he seized two of the children and ran for a stairway, which soon collapsed.

The two children were lost, while the father was thrown to a point of safety and made his escape. Mrs. Hardin, seeing the stairway fall, jumped from the second story, receiving injuries from which she died later. The bodies of the five Hardin children and that of Ada Green were cremated in the flames that destroyed the house.

BOYS' CONFESS TO IVYWILD THEFTS

Visited Several Residences and Took Articles of Clothing, Jewelry and Food.

Accused of wholesale thefts from residences in Ivywild, Jack Seaton, aged 17 years, and Odell Greene, aged 19, were arrested yesterday morning by the police at 14 West Mill street, Ivywild, where they had been stopping. A suitcase containing articles of every description, including groceries, found in the house, bore evidence to the number of burglaries committed, and the boys, according to the authorities, confessed. They told the officers that they had stolen the things from the residences of J. Roy Armstrong, 204 Cheyenne road; H. N. Mitchell, 812 South Weber street, and another residence near the corner of Ramona and Nevada avenues. A pass key was used to gain admittance to the houses.

"We were hard up and did not have any work and thought we could make an easy living this way," the boys told the police. The thefts have been occurring for the last 10 days, and the boys stated that during that time they had lived on stolen groceries and milk. The wholesale robbery of milk from the back porches of Ivywild residences has been going on for some time and the boys confessed that they started their work there.

The collection of stolen articles recovered by the police included cameras, manicure sets, cutlery, ties, small articles of clothing and jewelry. Seaton told the officers that he had not tried to sell the stolen goods, because they feared the police would get them. Both Seaton and Greene, who have lived here for a number of years, have been in trouble before, the former having been arrested on the Fourth of July for the theft of a motorcycle.

The boys will be given a hearing this morning in Justice Gowdy's court for robbery. The articles are at the police station awaiting identification by the owners.

UPHEAVAL PROMISED IN SPEAKER'S TOWN

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 19.—Men prominent in business and social life will be indicted by the Vermilion county grand jury this week in the vote traffic investigation, according to a positive declaration made tonight by George D. Weisiger, member of the grand jury and special prosecutor since the ousting of State's Attorney Lowman.

Mr. Weisiger said the jury had material for a "startling number of indictments and several cases of perjury."

A preliminary report of a big batch of vote-selling indictments will be made Tuesday or Wednesday at the latest, he said.

MORMON UNIVERSITY TABOOES MODERNISM

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 19.—Heresy hunters on the board of education of the Mormon church have unearthed three "Modernists" on the faculty of the Brigham Young university at Provo. Charged with teaching doctrines in conflict with the beliefs of the church, R. V. Chamberlain, professor of biology; Joseph Peterson, professor of psychology, and Henry Peterson, professor of education, were summoned before the board yesterday to explain their instruction in the teachers' college of the university.

From their statements to the board it appeared that they had been applying higher criticism to the Old Testament. They defended their conduct and refused to recant. The board expressed disapproval and the removal of the offenders is expected. Professor Henry Peterson is dean of the university faculty.

Insurrectos Good Because Weather Bad

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 19.—Owing to the bitter cold weather throughout this section there appears to be but little movement in revolutionary circles. Pasqual Orozco is reported to have returned to his old camp in the vicinity of Sidamayuca, where he is awaiting the arrival of Madero, who, it is believed, is pushing to that point from the vicinity of San Ignacio.

Passenger train service is announced to begin again tomorrow on both the Mexican Central and Mexico Northwestern roads out of Ciudad Juarez.

MEXICALI, Mex., Feb. 19.—General Leyva and Simon Berthold, his second in command, admitted today that they were preparing to move on Ensenada. The start may be made tonight. They say that when they do depart a garrison will be left fully capable of defending the town. They organized a police force here today. The prospect of a fight within the next few days is remote.

The report that Jack London and Berthold were in custody at Calexico caused much amusement here. London is not among the Americans in the rebel ranks, while Berthold held conferences today with United States officials at the bull pen on this side of the line.

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19.—The Twenty-fifth battalion of infantry from Quintanaro, Yucatan, arrived here today and will proceed at once, it is said, to the frontier.

From Zacatecas belated telegrams bring news of an attack a few days ago by 300 rebels upon San Juan Guadalupe in the northern part of the state of Zacatecas. They were said to have been repelled by a small number of civilians and gendarmes. Luis Moya, a rebel leader, was wounded and captured.

Scenes of the insurrection in Mexico. Above is a picture of members of a band of insurrectos. In the center are Mexican federal troops fording a stream. The picture below shows a group of armed revolutionists on a Mexican ranch during an outbreak. The revolution, at first regarded as one of those seasonal Central American outbreaks which soon die a natural death, has grown into the most serious uprising the Diaz government has yet been called on to suppress.

PRESIDENT DIAZ OF MEXICO, Who Is Reported to Have Decided on Extensive Reforms in Order to Quiet the Opposition to Him Which Is Acute Throughout a Large Part of the Republic.

BRIDE SUICIDES

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Nellie Ybarl LeBrun, 20 years old, and a bride of six weeks, committed suicide today, strangling herself with a rope adjusted to a door knob in her home. Ill health is believed to have been the cause.

GRAVE CRISIS IN PORTUGAL

SITUATION THREATENS CIVIL WAR.

Government Opposes Demand of Navy Extremists and Relations Strained.

LISBON, Feb. 19.—Relations between the government and the navy have again reached almost the breaking point as a result of a demand from the navy for the reinstatement and the appointment to the command of the battleship Almirante Reis of Captain Jose Cerejo, one of the naval heroes of the revolution, who had been retired by former Premier Franco because of alleged disloyalty.

The minister of marine objects to Captain Cerejo holding this command, as he believes such a concession would place the government in the hands of the extremists. The navy has expressed a determination to remove the minister of marine, Amaro Azevedo Gomez, by force, and the minister of the interior, Antonio Almedia, who is very popular, has exhausted every argument to induce the extremists to exercise patience, pointing out that such a step would result inevitably in civil war. The extremists, however, stand firm.

Jose Azvedo, formerly minister of foreign affairs, and Coutinho Chagas, also a former member of the monarchist cabinet, have been expelled on the ground that their presence in Portugal would constitute a danger for the new institutions.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Six nuns, driven out of Portugal by the republican government which dethroned King Manuel, arrived here today en route to Baker City, Ore. The yare of the Irish Dominican order, and have been invited to Oregon by the bishop of that diocese to aid the Capuchin mission and to found a convent.

COLD WEATHER FOR TWO DAYS

HEAVY SNOW AND SHARP DROP IN TEMPERATURE.

MIDDLE WEST FEELS STORM.

Heavy Snow and Sharp Drop in Temperature Southern Fruit in Danger.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The coming week will be one of low temperatures in practically all districts east of the Rocky mountains, and generally fair weather, preceded, however, by snows in northern and central and rains in southern states east of the Mississippi river Monday and Monday night, according to the prediction of the weather bureau.

An extensive area of cold weather that covers the plains states and the northwest will advance eastward and southward and cause frosts and freezing temperatures Monday and Tuesday in the Gulf states and Tuesday and Wednesday in the South Atlantic states, except southern Florida.

DENVER, Feb. 19.—The snow storm which visited Colorado, Wyoming and northern New Mexico yesterday and last night continued throughout widely scattered localities of the Rocky mountain region today. Reports today show that the fall varies from about six inches in portions of the plains country to two and three feet in mountain districts. The snow fall not only relieves the water shortage on stock ranges, but assures adequate moisture for needs of the farmers. Today slightly lower temperatures prevailed, but low records were not approached.

Fruit in Danger.

DALLAS, Tex., Feb. 19.—Following springlike weather and general rains during the last week, a norther swept over Texas today sending the temperature down 30 degrees or more, in some instances below the freezing point.

Fears are entertained for the fruit crops should the wind subside tonight. Orchards are in full bloom all over the

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LITTLETON IN SENATE RACE

WILL TAKE CANDIDACY BEFORE PEOPLE.

New York Democrats Surprised by Action of Oyster Bay Congressman-Elect.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Martin W. Littleton, newly-elected Democratic representative from Theodore Roosevelt's district, announced tonight his candidacy for the United States Senate to succeed Chauncey M. Depew, and supplemented his formal statements with a verbal declaration that he will take his cause before the people. He will speak in Brooklyn, Tuesday; in Manhattan, Wednesday night, and perhaps thereafter upstate. He chose to make known his candidacy through a letter to Lieutenant Governor Conway.

Among the leaders here some curiosity was aroused as to Mr. Littleton's move in coming forward at this time, why he should write Lieutenant Governor Conway, and what counsels had aided him in reaching a decision.

Mr. Littleton said he came forward now because he had been convinced neither Mr. Sheehan nor Mr. Shepard can be elected. They had been the leading candidates when the legislature convened and hitherto he had hesitated to dispute their pre-eminence. He chose to write to Lieutenant Governor Conway because the latter presides over the election of United States senators and therefore a communication addressed to him would come before the joint assembly in a manner befitting the proprieties and legalities demanded.

William F. Sheehan and Charles F. Murphy were perhaps the two persons most interested in the news of Mr. Littleton's candidacy.

"This is the first I had heard of it," said Mr. Sheehan. "No, I did not know he intended to come out as a candidate, though of course his name has been mentioned. I have not seen his letter and don't want to see it. There is nothing for me to say."

Charles F. Murphy was at Good Ground, L. I., and would make no comment until he had read the letter.

Senator Franklin D. Roosevelt, the insurgent leader, said:

"I hardly think I shall have any opinions on the worth of Mr. Littleton's candidacy until I have consulted with my colleagues of the minority. Personally, of course, everybody likes Martin Littleton, and all Democrats recognize that he has done effective work for the party.

"The vote tomorrow at Albany probably will not show the sentiment of the minority toward Mr. Littleton, nor perhaps will that of Tuesday."

Mr. Littleton was emphatic that he had not consulted with Mr. Murphy about his candidacy.

GATES MAKES RECORD TIME

TRAVELS 2,989 MILES IN 78 HOURS.

$5,000 Trip in Special Train to Have Bruise Treated by Specialists.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—A record in fast long-distance travel by train was made by the arrival here tonight of Charles G. Gates, son of John W. Gates, the New York financier, who completed a dash of nearly 3,000 miles across the continent to obtain expert treatment for a case of blood poisoning.

The first report given out tonight was that Mr. Gates was in a better condition than when he started on the hurried trip east. It was declared that there was no immediate danger, and that Mr. Gates might be himself again in a few weeks.

A chain of fast trains carried Mr. Gates over 2,989 miles of track in 78 hours, including all of the several stops which are necessary for changing engines, switching, etc. This is an average for the whole distance of 37 miles an hour, counting stops.

The fastest time ever made from Chicago to New York is that of Mr. Gates' train—16 hours 49 minutes. The eastbound trip has never been made under 17 hours, although the westbound record has been 16 hours 7 minutes. The portion of the trip covered in fastest time was between Toledo and Cleveland, when 108 miles were covered in 97 minutes. The last leg of the journey over the New York Central was made in exactly a mile a minute, notwithstanding the time to change from steam to electric locomotion at High Bridge.

Mr. Gates was so alarmed over the infection of a bruise on his leg while traveling in the west last week that he offered $5,000 for special train service to New York.

Although confined to his bed in one of the five special cars on the train, Mr. Gates was in a cheerful mood when the train arrived here. It was explained that Mr. Gates suffered a similar bruise two years ago and had had so much trouble from infection at that time that he did not desire to take the slightest chance in his present trouble.

He was removed tonight to his Madison avenue home, where a consultation of physicians was held over his case.

TAFT SAYS HE WILL CALL EXTRA

Senate Must Act on Reciprocity Bill, President Announces Through McCall.

TOO LATE, MANY BELIEVE

Executive Will Veto Democratic Tariff Legislation if Subversive of Protection.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The first authoritative announcement that President Taft will call an extra session if the Senate fails to act on the McCall bill carrying into effect the Canadian reciprocity agreement came today from Mr. McCall himself following a visit at the White House.

According to Mr. McCall the President feels he is under international obligations to summon an extra session, if necessary to secure action in the reciprocity agreement. That session would be called immediately after the adjournment of Congress at noon, March 4.

While it is evidently the purpose of the President to avoid an extra session by inducing senators to act upon the agreement, it is the opinion of many that the statement has come too late. Few senators predict that action will be taken on the agreement by the Senate at this session while some insist there will be a vote.

With appropriation bills in a congested condition, with the Lorimer case pending, the permanent tariff board bill pressing for consideration, the general service pension bill being urged by many senators and the resolution for the popular election of senators coming up daily, as the unfinished business, it seems the chances for action on the reciprocity agreement are slight. There is some prospect that the Lorimer case may be disposed of Wednesday following a speech which Senator Lorimer will make in his own behalf, but there is no apparent likelihood of early votes on any of the other important measures.

Opponents of the reciprocity agreement in the Senate are viewing with complacency, not to say satisfaction, the congested conditions. The demands of the public business are such that a vote on reciprocity can be avoided easily without the appearance of a filibuster.

The bill probably will not be reported out of the finance committee before Thursday at the earliest. At that time there will remain only seven and a half legislative days of the present session.

Will Veto Tariff Bills.

Mr. McCall also made the announcement that the President would veto any tariff legislation passed by the

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Citizens Greeted by Unusual Sight of Many Sleighs

Colorado Springs yesterday presented mid-winter picture that is unusual here. The peculiarity lay in the fact that a dozen or more sleighs and cutters were seen whirling along to the accompaniment of jingling bells that played a rhythmic tattoo, their owners taking advantage of the snow.

Where the sleighs came from is little short of a mystery. Two or three livery stables admitted last night that they had a cutter or two on hand, but that there had been no use for them for at least a dozen years. They were all out yesterday, however, as well as a number of others owned by private individuals.

"It's the first time in 10 years that I have seen a sleigh on the streets of Colorado Springs," said a livery stable owner last night. "I don't know where they come from, but they are here all right. I have one myself, and it was engaged early in the morning for the day. The snow has packed just right for sleighing, and everyone who can is taking advantage of it."

Those who were unable to find a sleigh were forced to stand aside and watch the lucky ones enjoy themselves. One party, however, was determined to have some fun out of it, and they were successful.

A big bob-sled, a relic of other days, was carried down from a stable loft and some of the rust of many years rubbed off the runners. It was hauled out into the street and a crowd of young men and young women, well known in society circles, tumbled aboard. A rope was passed around the rear axle of a big automobile, and the party of 20 was off down the street at a clip that soon left horse-drawn vehicles far behind.

The weather man does not promise a continuation of sleighing weather today. Last night he was of the opinion that the greater part of the present snow storm has passed on to other sections. There was a difference of only six degrees in temperature during the day. At 6 o'clock in the morning the thermometer registered six above zero; at noon, 12, and at 6 o'clock last night, eight degrees. At midnight last night the mercury had dropped a few degrees lower, stopping at two above zero.

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COLD WEATHER

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state and a freeze would ruin prospects for a yield this year.

Up to 11 o'clock the temperature at Dallas stood at freezing with the wind blowing.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 19.—More than 10 inches of snow covers the greater part of western Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma tonight. Almost five inches has fallen today, and according to the weather bureau there will be no cessation tonight. The snow began to fly yesterday morning. The lowest temperature reached today in this section of the country was 26 degrees above zero. The weather will be colder by morning, it is officially predicted. The snow came after a rain of two days.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—A sleet, rain and snow storm, which varied between the three elements throughout the day, centered early this evening over the Bluegrass section of eastern Kentucky and caused heavy damage.

Lexington and Georgetown, Ky., were practically cut off from communication with the outside world, all telegraph and telephone wires going down.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 19.—Springfield was visited by the heaviest snow storm of the winter tonight. Street cars are out of commission, steam roads are affected, and wire service is hindered. Colder weather is expected.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Feb. 19.—A heavy snow began falling shortly after dark. The snow is general in this section. A heavy fall of rain which preceded it broke the drouth, and the live stock districts report conditions to be the best in years. The snow and cold is not sufficient to cause any loss on the ranges.

AVIATORS JAILED FOR FLYING ON SUNDAY

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 19.—Aviators McCurdy and Beachy and promoters of the aviation exhibition here were arrested after the flights today on a charge of unlawfully giving an exhibition on Sunday to which admission was charged. The arrests followed protests from ministers against Sunday entertainment.

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sleep, so as to relieve at noon their fatigued comrades who were "holding the fort."

The waits for a quorum were marked by occasional disorders and confusion. Humorous speeches and songs, however, occupied much of the time. Once several of the Democrats organized a mock house in the rear of the chamber, elected Mr. Hughes of New Jersey as speaker and proceeded to pass some most remarkable measures. "Speaker Hughes" "recognized" himself most of the time.

Edwards Causes Stir.

Representative Edwards of Georgia stirred the House today in declaring that in the height of the debate last night "a lobbyist" for the French claims came into the speaker's lobby and to the heavy doors of the chamber in an attempt to pass some papers to a member of the House.

"My information, derived from a good source," he said, "is that the gentleman is Mr. Parsons. Mr. Foster of Illinois, a Democrat in this House, intercepted this lobbyist when he was attempting to send a pamphlet to Mr. Parsons."

Mr. Bennett, speaking for his colleague, Mr. Parsons, who was absent, said:

"If it be a crime for my colleague to seek information concerning matters pending before this House, then I wish my Democratic friends would commit a few more crimes on that side of the chamber."

In the course of the hours of frivolity, Mr. Burgess of Texas figured in an effort to have his name recorded in one roll call, although he took no part except to admit that he was present. His name was called but he did not respond. Mr. Carlin of Virginia insisted that he responded for the Texan. The chair declared that the clerk should record Mr. Burgess.

A Sleepy Crowd.

At daylight a sleepy lot of individuals sat at their desks and waited while the leaders kept watch to avoid being trapped by the other side. One member in the front row was sound asleep and numerous members were stretched out asleep in the Democratic cloak room.

When at 5:30 a. m. Mr. Thomas of North Carolina made a point of no quorum, there were 95 members on the floor and a call of the House again was ordered.

Mr. Gardner of Massachusetts vainly sought to secure a recess, the chair declaring against that because no quorum existed. Then on motion of Mr. Heflin of Alabama, the sergeant-at-arms was directed to arrest all absentees and bring them to the bar of the House. Members became impatient for breakfast toward 9 o'clock, and a formal request by Mr. Candler of Mississippi for leave of absence to go to breakfast struck a popular chord and in a few minutes the House chamber was almost deserted, the Republican and Democratic whips and several lieutenants remaining to watch each other.

STEAMER MAKES PORT WITH CARGO ON FIRE

NEWPORT NEWS, Feb. 19.—The steamship Sloterdijk of the Holland-American line arrived here today from Rotterdam with the cargo in her forward hold on fire. Tugs and fire engines were called and, after streams had been played upon the burning cargo for hours, the flames were extinguished this afternoon. The fire was discovered at 1 o'clock this morning, though it must have been burning a long time before its discovery, as the hatches were tightly closed. The damage to the vessel and cargo has not been ascertained.

Thirty Years Together.

Thirty years of association—think of it. How the merit of a good thing stands out in that time or the worthlessness of a bad one. So there's no guesswork in this evidence of Thos. Ariss, Concord, Mich., who writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for 30 years, and its the best cough and cold cure I ever used." Once it finds entrance in a home you can't pry it out. Many families have used it forty years. It's the most infallible throat and lung medicine on earth. Unequaled for lagrippe, asthma, hayfever, croup, quinsy or sore lungs. Price 50c, $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by the Hefley-Arcularius Drug Co.

MORE STEEL MILLS NOW IN COMMISSION

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Speculation on recent large contracts for finished material enabled the steel companies last week to put more mills in commission and called for a larger output of pig metal. The steel corporation now has about 60 per cent of the furnace capacity active. The corporation and some of the independent companies are indebted to large miscellaneous export contracts for much of the increase in active capacity since January 1, but rail tonnage and enormous orders for light material and wire tubes, sheets and tin plate for domestic shipment have been important factors.

WYOMING LEGISLATURE HAS TO SET BACK CLOCK

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Feb. 19.—After a session that extended 19 hours beyond the legal limit, the Eleventh legislature of Wyoming adjourned at 10 o'clock this morning. The session should have ended at midnight Saturday, but it was necessary to put back the clock in order to pass the general appropriation bill. Governor Carey addressed the legislators at 5 o'clock this morning, reproaching them for failure to pass certain legislation and commending them on the passage of laws providing for the initiative and referendum, the headless ballot and an eight-hour day for women.

Another Atlantic Liner Shot Up by Crazy Passenger

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—For the second time within a week a transatlantic liner arrived today with a crazed passenger aboard. Jimmy Lynch, a second cabin passenger on the Laurentic, which came in today from Liverpool, created excitement among the 583 passengers on the high seas by running amuck with a revolver.

The America, an Italian line steamer, arrived but two days before with Natali di Tompore, a musician, in tow. He went mad in the dining salon when the ship was two days out of Naples, and wounded two passengers by the reckless discharge of a revolver.

Lynch bolted from his cabin on the Laurentic last Friday night and fired wildly along the length of the port corridor of the state room deck. Men and women darted into their cabins, narrowly escaping the seven shots fired. One bullet entered the purser's cabin and the others lodged in the woodwork of the ship. Several officers rushed at the man while he was reloading the weapon and disarmed him. He was locked up until the arrival of the ship here and turned over to the immigration authorities.

MOUNTED POLICEMAN KILLS COUNTY JAILER

EL PASO, Feb. 19.—Fred Higgins, mounted policeman, shot and fatally wounded Tranquilivo Lopez, the county jailer of Dona Ana county, in Las Cruces, N. M., late Saturday night. Higgins had arrested two men and taken them to jail, but Lopez refused to receive them. A dispute followed, during which Lopez was shot, dying from the effect of his wounds early this morning.

ARIZONANS WILL URGE ACTION THIS SESSION

EL PASO, Feb. 19.—A delegation of prominent Arizona citizens, headed by G. W. P. Hart, chairman of the late constitutional convention, passed through El Paso tonight on their way to Washington to urge the granting of statehood at this session of Congress. The party comprises both Republicans and Democrats.

OLNEY OPPOSED TO FORTIFYING CANAL

BOSTON, Feb. 19.—Former Secretary of State Richard Olney, in a statement issued today, amplifies opinions previously expressed by him in opposition to fortification of the Panama canal. Mr. Olney cites the Clayton-Bulwer treaty of 1850, in which Great Britain and the United States agreed that "neither would erect or maintain fortifications commanding the canal," and the stipulation in the draft of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty of 1900, which also provided against fortification, but permitted the United States "to maintain such military police along the canal as may be necessary to protect it against lawlessness and disorder."

VON PHUL TO DENVER

Special to The Gazette.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Feb. 19.—Former Deputy Sheriff Henry Von Phul, whose name is being prominently mentioned in connection with the appointment of a chief of police in Denver, left for that city this morning, and significance is attached to the trip locally by the fact that the fire and police board, which will make the appointment, meets tomorrow. It is generally believed here that if Von Phul is selected it will be purely a political deal.

RELIEF SHIP SAILS FOR CHINA MARCH 10

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 19.—The U. S. army transport Buford, which will carry a cargo of provisions for the relief of the famine victims in north China, will sail from Seattle, March 10, according to an announcement made by the relief committee. The cargo is being assembled here and reports of new shipments from the east are being received daily.

STRONG EARTH SHOCKS DO DAMAGE IN ITALY

FLORENCE, Italy, Feb. 19.—The observatory here reports two strong earthquakes last night, one at an estimated distance of 600 miles and the other 650 miles. The movement in both cases was east. This morning a third shock was recorded. This lasted several seconds and affected a number of provinces, the center of the disturbance apparently being Porli, where some of the houses were damaged and several persons injured.

RAILROAD HOLOCAUST NARROWLY AVERTED

ADAIRVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 19.—Twenty-one persons were injured and the lives of three score imperiled when two coaches burned after being turned over in a railroad wreck here this afternoon. No one was dangerously hurt. The cars were on train No. 14 of the Tennessee Central railway and were derailed when being slowly pulled onto a sidetrack. When they toppled over, gas lamps set them afire.

COAL MINERS CONDEMN ORGANIZATION'S ACTION

HAZLETON, Pa., Feb. 19.—At a largely attended meeting of residents of the Lehigh coal fields at McAdoo today, resolutions were adopted condemning the action of the United Mine Workers by which John Mitchell faces the alternative either of severing his connection with the Civic federation or his membership in the mine workers' organization.

JAPAN RENOUNCES CANADIAN COMPACT

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Japan has renounced the Anglo-Japanese convention of 1906 regulating the commercial relations between Canada and Japan. The convention will thus expire in July.

Miss Anna Douglas Graham, who will be married to Jay Gould, the youngest son of the multimillionaire, George J. Gould, on April 27, in St. Thomas' church, New York. When it first became known that young Mr. Gould was engaged to marry the beautiful daughter of Mrs. Hurbert Vos it was said the ceremony would take place in June, but owing to the premature announcement of the betrothal, the plans have been changed and the earlier date selected.

BANKER MURDERED IN RAILWAY DEPOT

CHARLES CITY, Ia., Feb. 19.—The dead body of J. G. Cutler, cashier of the State bank of Nora Springs, who is supposed to have been murdered, was found early this morning in the waiting room of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad station here. Although there was no sign of a struggle in the room, there was a bruise on the head, sufficient, it was said, to cause death. All money and valuables had been taken from the body.

MRS. W. A. CLARK IN CRITICAL CONDITION

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Mrs. William A. Clark, wife of the former senator from Montana, was removed hurriedly late today from her magnificent mansion on Fifth avenue to the Roosevelt hospital where she will undergo an operation for appendicitis tomorrow. It was stated at the hospital that her case was critical.

MURDER AT PRESCOTT

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Feb. 19.—Finding the woman with whom he was infatuated in a room with a soldier today, A. H. Oakes shot and killed her, shot the soldier in the arm, and then turned the weapon on himself. Oakes will probably recover.

PRESIDENT LISTENS TO MISS EVA BOOTH

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The President and Mrs. Taft, as well as many members of the diplomatic corps, heard Commander Miss Eva Booth of the Salvation Army deliver an appeal in the cause of that organization here tonight. Miss Booth paid a tribute in her speech to the lives of Lincoln and McKinley and spoke of the great characters of history who devoted themselves to the uplift of their fellowmen.

REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN AT DEATH'S DOOR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—Representative Amos Lawrence Allen, who succeeded the late Speaker Thomas B. Reed as congressman from the First district of Maine, is ill here with pneumonia and is not expected to live through the night.

STENOGRAPHER SUICIDES ON EVE OF MARRIAGE

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 19.—Miss Edna Clemmons, a stenographer 22 years old, committed suicide by drinking chloroform today following a quarrel with her fiance, to whom she was to have been married tonight.

POPE STILL BETTER

ROME, Feb. 1.—The pope's condition is very satisfactory to his physicians, who say he is comparatively well, considering his recent indisposition.

AUSTRALIA WOULD DO AS CANADA PROPOSES

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 19.—Andrew Fisher, the premier of Australia, in an interview is quoted as saying that if any scheme of interdominion preference were extended outside the limits of the empire, the first step would be to do what Canada has already done. This was to enter into reciprocal arrangements with a people akin to themselves.

C. E. WORKERS STORM CHICAGO POSTOFFICE

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Christian Endeavor workers stormed the Chicago postoffice and substations today with 12,000 printed appeals to abolish Sunday labor for postal clerks and carriers. Pamphlets setting forth reasons for the abolition of Sunday labor and asking the co-operation of the public were distributed among persons calling for mail.

AMERICAN GIVEN TEN-YEAR TERM IN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 19.—A sentence of 10 years imprisonment imposed upon A. J. Farrel, an American civil engineer, on an accusation made against him in Guadalupe, Zacatecas, of complicity in the killing of a Mexican miner last November, is attracting more than ordinary attention in this city and in El Oro, where he was formerly one of the most popular American residents. Because there seems to have been a miscarriage of justice in the case, the American ambassador is making a thorough investigation of the case.

ONLY TEN MORE DAYS FOR MONTANA CHOICE

HELENA, Mont., Feb. 19.—The seventh week of the senatorial deadlock will begin tomorrow, with nothing more substantial to indicate that it will ever be broken than the general statement of Democratic leaders of both factions that a Democratic senator will be elected. But 10 more legislative days remain for the session. Many of the Democrats are in receipt of letters from their constituents, cautioning them not to permit the session to die without electing a senator.

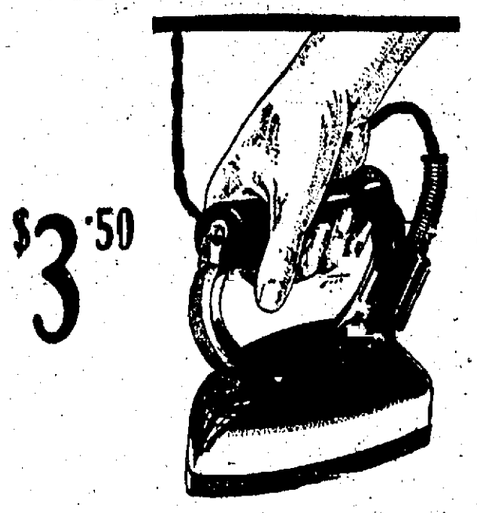
NEVADA SUFFRAGETTES MAY TALK FOR HOURS

RENO, Nev., Feb. 19.—Tomorrow morning a delegation of about 50 suffragettes will go from Reno to Carson to appear before the legislature in support of their demands for equal suffrage. The assembly will go into committee of the whole and the ladies will be allowed to talk from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

BALLOONISTS ABANDON NORTH POLE FLIGHT

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—Dirigible ballooning is not yet sufficiently advanced to justify an attempt to reach the North pole by this means. This is the conclusion reached by the Zeppelin expedition to Spitzbergen, according to Professor Von Drygalski, a member of the expedition, in a report to a Berlin scientific society. The expedition, which included Prince Henry of Prussia, went to Spitzbergen to decide the possibility of reaching the pole in a Zeppelin airship.

The Swedish botanist, Lidfors, has proposed a new theory to explain the killing action of frosts on plants, as well as the fact that certain plants escape damage when others are destroyed. He observed that such plants as Cerastium and Viola, which survive the severe winters of Sweden, have the starch in their leaves replaced during the cold season by sugar. He then found that in plants which do not possess this peculiarity ice is formed in the interspaces between the cells, and the water is withdrawn from the cell sap. When the water is extracted the proteins in the cells pass out of solution with disastrous effects. But if sugar is present the proteins remain in solution until a much lower temperature is reached.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TAFT SAYS

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Democratic House and approved by a nearly Democratic Senate if that should be necessary to maintain the Republican party's protective principles.

Mr. McCall's statement, which is generally understood to have been approved by the President, is:

"I believe Republican senators are gradually coming to recognize that with the certain prospect of an extra session unless they bring the reciprocity bill to a vote there will be very serious inconvenience and embarrassment, if not danger to the business and industrial enterprises that are really entitled to protection.

"The President feels that he is under an international obligation to summon an extra session. He will do this reluctantly because it is bringing into power a Democratic House and a Senate much more nearly Democratic than the present Senate.

"But if the Senate should fail to act, the President feels that under his agreement with the Canadian government to use his utmost endeavor to have the reciprocity agreement confirmed, he will be compelled to call the session immediately. I imagine the Democrats are not anxious for an extra session.

"They would naturally feel that they cannot extemporize a revision of the tariff schedules. The light remark that you can prepare a tariff bill over night or in two weeks, or a month, everyone knows to be utterly unfounded.

Will Not Be Taft's Fault.

"But what an extra session is likely to mean is a constant agitation and a continuous investigation into the industries that are made possible by protection and interference with their business that bodes no good for business at large.

"The consequence is that if anyone should prevent action on the reciprocity bill he would be in the position of helping to bring about a condition most injurious to those industries which really need protection. What follows in an extra session will not be the President's fault.

"The President is a protectionist and expects to use the veto power so far as he properly may, to maintain the party's protective principles. But it would be a misfortune to have this inevitable conflict come nine months ahead of the time when it is naturally due.

"The President is impressed with the extreme importance to the country of the ratification of the agreement, so with the solemn obligation he has undertaken to use his utmost endeavor to have it enacted into law.

Quotes President.

"In conclusion I desire to call attention to the President's speech at Springfield, Ill., in which he said:

"'There are those conservative protectionists who hang back from an approval of this agreement on the ground that it is a departure from the principle of protection and is the opening wedge to let in free trade. My own view is that no step could be taken more in the interest of a reasonable policy of protection than the approval of this treaty.

"'The very existence of the policy depends on our abolition of the tariff where it is not really needed under the principle of the last Republican platform.

"'If we persist in retaining it in these times of high prices and gradually exhausting food supply and base our retention on protection principles we shall rouse an opposition that will know no moderation and will not cease radical economic changes until it has removed from the statute book the last trace of a protective tariff.'"

MISS ARNOLD'S FATHER HAS ABANDONED HOPE

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Notwithstanding the news dispatches, telling of the detention at Sand Point, Ida., of a girl answering the description of Dorothy Arnold, her father, Francis R. Arnold, was as certain as ever today that the daughter was dead.

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 19.—The girl detained at Sand Point, Idaho, who was believed possibly to be Dorothy Arnold, the missing heiress, is now known to be Dora Falk, a young woman who escaped from the Salvation Army rescue home at Spokane recently.

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Societies and Clubs

Cheyenne tribe No. 44, Improved Order of Red Men, will hold a regular meeting Monday evening. A number of pale-faces will receive the adoption degree.

Westernoo council No. 27, Degree of Pocahontas, will give a Washington dance and card party Tuesday evening, February 21, at Robbins hall. The public is invited.

All members of W. O. W. and their friends are requested to attend an entertainment given by Pikes Peak camp No. 5 tomorrow night at the hall, 9 East Bijou street. Admission free.

The Sunday School Teachers council of the First Methodist church will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the home of Mrs. W. W. Flora, 2129 North Tejon street.

Special convocation Colorado Springs chapter No. 6, R. A. M., will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock for work in the M. E. F. degree.

The Esperanto circle will meet in room 10 Perkins hall, tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The beginners class will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Allegra Grover, 1618 North Nevada avenue. James W. Stevenson's class will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Crawford, 222 East Monument street.

Post 22, G. A. R., will hold an open meeting tomorrow night in G. A. R. hall. Kit Carson circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., will furnish the program, which promises to be good. Many will appear in colonial dress. The public is cordially invited. Free to all.

There will be a regular communication of Tejon lodge No. 104, A. F. and A. M., this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting Masons invited.

Some persons, it is asserted by competent authorities, associate particular colors with particular sounds. Two forms of this phenomenon have been considered. In one case the person has a sensation as if a transparent colored film, like a rainbow, appeared before his eyes when certain vowel, or musical sounds strike his ear. In the other case letters or written words, representing the sounds heard, appear in colored tints. The tints are very definite and characteristic, and do not vary with lapse of time; but two persons seldom associate the same colors with the same sounds.

Terrible Train of Troubles

Lake Charles, La.—Mrs. E. Fournier, 516 Kirby street, says: "The month before I took Cardui, I could hardly walk. I had backache, headache, pain in my legs, chills, fainting spells, sick stomach, dragging feelings, and no patience or courage. Since taking Cardui I have no more pains, can walk as far as I want to, and feel good all the time." Take Cardui and be benefited by the peculiar herb ingredients which have been found so efficient for womanly ills. Cardui will relieve that backache, headache, and all the misery from which you suffer, just as it has done for others. Try Cardui.

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PERSEVERANCE WINS IN END SAYS DR. SLOCUM

President W. F. Slocum's vesper talks, given at Bemis hall are increasing in popularity and last night the auditorium was crowded to hear his "Impressions of the Passion Play," in which he took as his subject, "Moral Cowardice in a Good Man.", Numerous sidelights and suggestions that make the New Testament characters more real, emanating from the marvelous work of the men and women taking part in the Passion Play, were brought out by President Slocum, and the auditors felt that a new interpretation had been placed on these subjects. President Slocum pointed out how Peter, impulsive, dictatory and always doing the wrong thing, would always get up from his downfalls with his face right, and how through perseverance he won out in the end, becoming the leader of the church.

The music of the evening was especially good, consisting of a piano solo by Mrs. Atherton Noyes and a trio from the "Crucifixion" by the Misses Martha Phillips, Helen Gowdy, Marjorie Glen and Eleanor Thomas. The music at the services has been a feature and the programs arranged for the coming meetings promise to be excellent. The series of talks will be continued next Sunday evening, when President Slocum will talk on "The Real Triumph of Jesus in the Garden of Sorrow."

Deaths and Funerals

The funeral of Peter Quirk, a dispatcher on the Short Line railroad, who died several days ago from the effects of alcoholism and exposure, will be held this afternoon from the undertaking rooms of Fairleys and Law. The services will be in charge of the Order of Railway Trainmen. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

The funeral of David Harbaugh, who died Friday, will be held from the residence, 214 South Wahsatch avenue, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Evergreen cemetery.

Swamp cypresses that grow in Florida today once flourished on Spitzbergen, says Count de Geer, the leader of a Swedish geological expedition which has just returned from an exploration trip to that bleak and icebound island. The expedition found geological strata which are described by Count de Geer as one colossal herbarium in a fossilized state. They are said to justify the assumption that in early periods the entire north polar region was one vast low-lying plain covered with dense forest. Evidences of the early vegetation now present themselves in extensive coal deposits which a newly formed company is beginning to work. It is expected that 50,000 tons of Spitzbergen coal will be shipped next year. Today no plants grows on Spitzbergen taller than an inch or two.

Merriment

ICY PAVEMENTS.

Alphonso (in a hoarse whisper).—Keep right close behind him, Beatrice. He's right close behind him; he'll slip an' fall on yer pretty quick, an' den if he doesn't give yer suthin' out av sympathy yer kin sue him for damages!

TRANSLATED.

"Between you and me," said the man who was being interviewed, "he was one of the worst cranks I ever saw."

"H'm!" said the reporter, writing rapidly. "Person of marked individuality. Yes?"

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Circassian Princess.—I wonder if the human leopard was born with such a polka-dotted skin?

Wild Man of Borneo.—No. Ol'm told that he got into some sart av divilmint an' was shpotted by the detectives.

It's a drop of ink that makes millions think; not a gallon.

The millennium may be all right for the lamb, but what is the lion going to do for something to eat?

HER SUGGESTION.

Mrs. Elder.—We were going to have a progressive euchre party, but the pastor dislikes card-playing of any kind!

Miss Young.—Oh! I suppose he'd like us to play progressive checkers!

The path to enduring successes is best paved with failures.

VARIABLE SENTIMENT.

"What is your opinion of municipal ownership of the street railways?"

"Well," answered Senator Sorghum, after much thought, "my opinion on that point depends."

"On what?"

"On who happens to be owning the municipality."

Pigg.—Say! Why do you call that fellow "Asphyxiate?" That is a peculiar nickname.

Penn.—Because his last name is Gaskill.

More than half of the men who make money, lose it in middle life, by investing in schemes. Only one scheme in fifty pays expenses.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

"What's the reason of your enmity to that politician?" asked the rather romantic young woman. "Did he cross your path early in your career?"

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "He didn't cross my path. We were after the same office, and he ran over me from behind."

When some people draw a conclusion it looks like the picture on a Japanese fan.

At The Theater

FLORENCE ROBERTS TOMORROW

On tomorrow night, at the Opera House, Edward Sheldon's new drama, "The Nigger," with Florence Roberts, which was the big success at the New theater, New York's subsidized playhouse, last season, will be seen. This is a wonderful play. The second act is full of action and exciting moments. Philip Morrow has been elected governor. Clifton Noyes, a distiller, who was instrumental in placing Morrow in the governor's chair, endeavors to induce the governor to veto a prohibition bill. The governor, after getting the voice of the people, finds that they are in favor of prohibition, and the bill is signed.

Noyes, in his anger and disappointment, reveals the fact that the governor is a negro; and at the same time breaks the terrible news to Georgiana Byrd, the governor's sweetheart. In a moment of delirium, Morrow insists that the girl shall keep her plighted troth to him. He finally releases his sweetheart from her promise and makes known to the world that he has given up his aspirations and his position as a white man and will henceforth live and work for the uplifting of the black race.

Seats are now selling. The prices are 50c, 75 cents, $1, $1.50 and $2. Interest in this engagement is doubled because of the return to this city of Miss Roberts, a strong local favorite, and because this is the first production from the New theater, New York city, to be seen in this city. It also marks the first presentation here of a drama by Edward Sheldon.

PEPITO ARRIOLA'S RECITAL

The recital of the famous Spanish boy pianist, Pepito Arriola, at the Opera House Thursday night will be one of much interest, not only because of the remarkable achievements of this 12-year-old player and his fame as a prodigy, but also because of the genuine artistry and genius of his playing. It is not merely as a boy wonder that Arriola appeals to music lovers, but also as an artist of unusual powers. Seats will be placed on sale tomorrow morning. The prices are 50, 75 cents, $1, $1.50 and $2.

Reginald DeKoven, in the New York World says this tribute: "As a rule I detest prodigies infants and infant prodigies, but when such a one comes along to suggest the theory of reincarnation, as plausible by a performance of a work like Beethoven's Sonata Op. 53, so considered and so full of artistic appreciation that it could not possibly have been dinned into an ordinary boy, however merely clever, why that is different. When to this is added an interpretation of a Chopin group in D Major Nocturne, four preludes and A flat Polonaise of decided color and temperament, anything but childlike or immature, one is ready to forget the prodigy and concede the artist."

At the age of four, Pepito gave his first concert in Leipsic, with great success. Emperor William decorated him with a pin of emeralds and diamonds. To keep this wonderful lad in his own country, the emperor presented Arriola with a large estate in the province of Mecklenburg, where Pepito spends his summers, romping and enjoying himself as other boys of his age. After his trip to Berlin, at the age of five, at which time he was accorded unusual honor, he returned to Leipsic, where he continued his studies, graduating at the age of seven.

The London Globe, June 1909, says: "Though so diminutive that he is obliged to have the pedals shortened in order that his feet may reach them, he is already an uncommonly skillful player, with a charming touch and excellent command over the keyboard, an evident musical feeling. The Chopin selections were more suited to his tender years, and his performance of Liszt's arrangement of Bach's tremendous Prelude and Fugue in G minor was surprisingly firm and clear."

SEATS FOR FREDERICK WARDE

Seats for the engagement of Frederick Warde at the Opera House, Washington's birthday Wednesday, matinee and night, will be placed on sale at the Opera House box office this morning. "Julius Caesar" will be presented at the matinee and "Virginius" at the night performance. The matinee prices are 25, 50, 75 cents and $1. The night prices are 50, 75 cents, $1 and $1.50.

The Memphis News-Scimitar says:

"What does the future hold forth for the masterpieces of tragedy and for the remaining few of the old school tragedians who still cling to their cherished ideals and present these plays of the modern playgoer? This question could not but help present itself to the thinking members of the audience which greeted Frederick Warde at the Lyceum theater last night in his splendid production of 'Julius Caesar.' Many there were in the audience who remembered Booth and Barrett, the Keenes, and then the happy tristar combination of James, Kidder and Warde and felt the poignant sting of sorrow when they realized that Frederick Warde as practically 'the last of his race' hen it comes to the old school of famous tragedians.

"Mellowed and softened by the hand of time in voice and appearance yet losing none of his old-time finesse in reading the classic lines of Shakespeare, Mr. Warde presented himself as Brutus last night. Heretofore, he has played in the role of Marc Antony in numerous productions of 'Julius Caesar.' It is useless to attempt to make a comparison of him in the two roles. In both, in anything he does or attempts, he is and will always be more than satisfying to the most critical of theatergoers, and it is a matter of profound regret that his school is passing and the love for the classics in the wane, as was evidenced by the small-sized audience before which he played last night.

"In Ernest G. Warde, the eminent tragedian has a son who is even now stepping into his father's buskins, and who is destined on same day not so far distant, to be recognized as a peer among the exponents of the tragic art of that period. Young Mr. Warde portrayed the difficult role of Cassius last night. His reading of the lines was well rounded and executed and he filled all the requirements of the trying role.

"Andrew Rogers made a satisfying Marc Antony, while Horace Porter ably filled the role of Caesar. John Burke appeared as Casca, and Miss Olive Thorne as Calphurnia, and Miss Helen Hilton as Portia, added to the production as a whole. The company surrounding Mr. Warde is a large one, and has been carefully selected from seasoned material. It is adequate. The production is an artistic triumph in every sense of the word."

EVERY ACT A FEATURE ON MAJESTIC PROGRAM

Notwithstanding the uniform high-class of the Sullivan and Considine attractions played at the Majestic theater, it is not often that every act on a bill is received with such hearty approbation that it may well be spoken of as a feature. Nevertheless, this is exactly the case with the new bill which opened Saturday afternoon, as the opening day audiences were enthusiastic in their approval of every number on the bill, and the same cordial reception is assured from every house for the rest of its engagement.

The biggest of the features is that uproariously funny sketch, "A Close Call," presented by "Happy Jack" Gardner and company, and it is all that has been claimed for it, and more. There are four characters in the cast—Gardner, in the role of a minstrel performer; his wife, a stagestruck beauty, and his valet, and between the four of them the house is kept whooping with merriment. The staging of this act is quite the cleverest and most novel thing ever seen here, showing at once the alley at the rear of a theater, two dressing rooms and an intervening hallway, while the time Mr. Gardner is supposed in the sketch to be on the stage of the makebelieve theater he is sent out in front of the curtain, giving the other half of his double show for the edification of his Majestic audience.

But the other acts run this sketch a close second. The singing and dancing of Brown and Mills, who have a sort of a Newlyweds specialty, with a baby as the third member of the cast, is one of the biggest hits in a long time, and at Saturday's performances they were called back time after time. This act is original all the way through, and gets better the longer it goes. Romain, the violinist, also scores decidedly, his playing being not only expressive of remarkable talent, but having that happy faculty of catching the popular fancy. Likewise, the varied and catchy repertoire of Daly's Country Choir, in which are a male and a soprano voice of unusual excellence, wins decided popular approval.

The Majestiscope also has two extremely good films, one a sort of Arabian Nights affair, and the other a most laughable comic. The orchestra program of down-to-date selections completes a bill that snows and storm will not keep local amusement lovers from flocking to see.

"THREE WEEKS"

A distinguished writer once said: "There is no joy, but bitter tears will come to cast it like a fallen angel forth," and nowhere is this more truly illustrated than in Elinor Glyn's dramatization of her story, "Three Weeks," which will be presented for the first time under the same title at the Opera House on Friday night, by a company of popular players.

The unhappy Queen of Sardalia in this book and play paid earth's inevitable price for her short-lived happiness, and yet the whole of womanhood marvels and rebels at the idea and extend to her their universal sympathy. Miss Glyn has written a book that, despite the host of adverse criticism it has received, will open a line of thought to men and women that in some near future will work a great good for the community at large.

Contrary to all expectations, she has written a love tragedy from the story that is full of human interest, and yet has abundant dramatic force and action. One interesting feature of the play, not contained in the book, shows her at home in Sardalia with the brute king, and serves to show the motive for her subsequent conduct. The play will be presented with elaborate scenic effects and every attention to detail. Last season it served as one of the biggest successes of the season.

"THE HOUSE OF A THOUSAND CANDLES"

Manager Nye is to be congratulated upon having secured the original production of "The House of a Thousand Candles" for an engagement at the Opera House of two performances on Saturday. The entire production will be presented in the same manner as during the long runs at Daly's and Hackett theaters in New York city and the Garrick theater, Chicago.

"The House of a Thousand Candles" is a dramatization of the novel by the same name which proved for the past three years to be one of the "six best sellers." The story is well known to the reading public, who have devoured it with pleasure, as it is said to be even more mystifying and interesting than as a novel.

"THE FLIRTING PRINCESS"

No more pleasing announcement could be made, in a theatrical sense, than that Mort H. Singer's Chicago musical comedy success, Harry Bulger in "The Flirting Princess," will visit here at the Opera House next week. It will come direct from its long run of 340 nights in Chicago, with the same production, clever comedians, pretty girls, and the wonderful dancing numbers, including the famous Apache and Vampire dances, with Emilie Jansen, Maude Emery and Charles Morgan presenting the same.

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AN "AD" FOR DR. COOK.

THIS is an advertisement for Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the gentleman who startled the world about a year and a half ago by the announcement that he had discovered the North Pole and who made a couple of hundred thousands out of it before he decided to secure quiet and seclusion far from the madding crowd. He is going to lecture in this city, so it is announced, on the night of Tuesday, February 28, but information is not at hand as to his theme. If the Doctor is not particular as to what he talks about and those who intend to hear him would like something really interesting, it might be well to ask him to talk on "How to Bunco the People and Make Them Like It."

Dr. Cook unquestionably deserves the palm as the most monumentally brazen and consummately clever fakir in human history. To that extent he is an object of interest rather, of curiosity. People who go to hear him much in the spirit that they would go to a museum to see some strange animal or to a vaudeville show to hear Elbert Hubbard may be pardoned for adding their little mite to the Doctor's fat bank account. For it is of some educative and entertainment value to look upon and listen to such a unique specimen of the genus homo, and the Doctor is legitimately entitled to whatever income he may be able to derive from exhibiting himself as a two-legged freak. But for this man, in the role of an honest explorer, to ask anyone to hear him, whether it costs a cent or not, is not equaled for sheer audacity even by his original claim to the North Pole discovery.

In addressing anyone who has followed the Polar controversy with even casual interest, it is quite unnecessary, for the sake of argument, to trace the events which have given Dr. Cook his unenviable notoriety and stamped him, in the general public estimation, as a man utterly devoid of principle and honor. Even had his claims not been rejected by competent scientific judges as absolutely worthless, his flight was sufficient to convict him. He would have been forgiven if he had remained in hiding, or even had he, driven by the craving for human companionship, emerged, confessed his deception and honestly attempted to rehabilitate himself in the esteem of his fellowmen. Instead of that, when his funds ran low and his self-imposed exile became unbearable he assigns the latter motive the Doctor found a market for an article in which he artfully admitted that perhaps he had not reached the Pole, but that he thought he had done so. As a piece of clever dissimulation his explanation, full of pathos and contrition, excels his initial exhibition of blushing modesty when royalty wined and dined him and his fellow citizens garlanded him with laurel.

It evidently had much the effect he so shrewdly anticipated, for the American spirit of fair play is so pronounced that it often blinds judgment and stultifies common sense. And on the strength of it he is now touring the country he disgraced, playing on the sympathy and credulity of the public at so much per. It is adding insult to injury, but if the Doctor "gets away with it," the painful conclusion will be unavoidable that there is nothing too raw for the public to swallow. Nor will any further evidence be needed to show that the perpetrator of the most colossal hoax of all time is likewise one of the shrewdest analysts of the public mind who ever turned the faculty into dollars.

REFORM IN MEXICO.

AT NO time since the present revolution in Mexico began has there been any reason to anticipate that it would result in the overthrow of the Diaz government, although it is not inconceivable, in view of the widespread dissatisfaction, that had the rebels been thoroughly organized and competently led, this result might in time have been brought about. However, if a dispatch from Washington Saturday is authoritative, indication is given that the ostensible purpose of the Madero uprising is shortly to be achieved.

The dispatch declares that with the object of effecting reforms calculated to restore tranquillity, the Mexican Minister of Finance, Senor Jose Limatour, is to return from France immediately and take charge of a general governmental reorganization, both in the capital and the states, chiefly in the north, where hostility to Diaz is most bitter and active. This may, of course, be only a shrewd move of the government to weaken the insurrecto cause, but there is on the other hand ample reason for President Diaz to believe that unless the popular clamor for a rule savoring less of despotism is speedily met, the power he has so long held is in serious jeopardy.

Although Mexico is nominally a republic, it is really what might be termed a benevolent despotism, and to that fact it owes practically all of the really amazing progress of the last quarter century. But the people have progressed to a point where they demand and are entitled to a government democratic in character as well as in name. Moderate concessions at this time, such as a lessening of taxes and the appointment of governors more in sympathy with the people, will undoubtedly knock the last leg from beneath the revolt. The most important question is that of the treatment to be accorded the rebel leaders, and it may perhaps be anticipated, in spite of coldbloodedness charged to Diaz, that he will deal with them leniently. The man is far from being an ogre, and he is too big a character not to understand the temper of his people.

Winter has been a long time coming, but now that it is here, is making its presence felt.

A Maine man has died from the effects of being scratched in a street car by a woman's hatpin. Now for an anti-hatpin law in the Pine Tree State.

Representative Macon of Arkansas evidently has learned that if there is one sure way to break into print in large, black type, it is by concocting something new in the line of epithets. But perhaps he is merely trying to convince his constituents that he is the master of his fellow-Arkansan, Senator Jefferson Davis, as a verbal vitriol slinger.

A PRETTY COMBINATION.

From the Chicago Record Herald.

Several Germans who were arrested in Scotland recently, charged with being spies, explained that they were there merely for the purpose of learning the language. Somehow we cannot get rid of a haunting desire to hear a German talking Scotch.

KILL MOSQUITOES NOW.

From the Newark News.

Every mosquito killed in winter is equivalent to fifty or a hundred killed in summer. This is therefore the time of year to kill all that can be reached. More of them can be destroyed in the winter months than most people suspect. The females of several of the most vicious species—and the females are the pestiferous specimens—live as adults all winter. They manage to get into cellars and warm corners of dwelling houses, and there they remain quiet till warm weather gives them new energy and bloodthirsty propensities. Some of these are beginning to show themselves already. The winter season thus far has been so moist and so mild that the insects hibernating in warm houses have taken new life. Now is the time to kill them.

NO REAL AVIATION YET.

From the New Bedford Standard.

It will be nearer 2,000 years than two when we shall be able to fly from Washington to New York in two hours, and many years will elapse before the aeroplane will be used for transportation,' says Wilbur Wright, a gentleman who may be assumed to know something about aerostation, but who is not given to vainglorious boasting over "the conquest of the air." Mr. Wright and his brother have, in a measure, taught men how to fly, and under their instructions men can fly, if they exercise a prudent common sense. But they have not taught men how to rival the migration of the birds, still less how to lift freight trains into the air. To balanced minds, nothing has been more strikingly proven by the discoveries and inventions in aviation than the limitations of the application. That some of these limitations may be overcome to a degree is altogether likely; but Mr. Wright's warning is that the conquest must not be expected too soon

STANDING ARMIES AND THE PRIVILEGED CLASSES.

From the New York American.

Ambassador Jusserand made a good speech at the Peace dinner in Washington recently.

The speech showed how unscientific is the idea that war is a necessary means of human progress.

It showed that progress has come not by the conquest of some men by other men, but by the conquest of nature.

Nations survive in the struggle for life not because they are dangerous to their neighbors, but because they are efficient in the control of natural forces.

For people who are masters of tools are also, incidentally, masters of arms

The nation that can work best can fight best.

Economic power is the "sinews of war" It is the stuff out of which military power is made.

So long as the sinews of war are in the arms of real workers they are pretty sure to be used not to destroy, but to save life

It is only when economic power is taken away from the workers and put in the hands of monopolists that the trouble begins.

The great armaments of Europe and Asia are dangerous because everywhere they are controlled by a privileged class, that does very little of the working in time of peace and very little of the bleeding in time of war.

The real obstacle to international peace is privilege.

In countries like Austria, Russia, Spain and Japan big armies are indispensable to the ruling classes.

Now, the danger of international war lies in the fact that armies that exist to hold down the people at home cannot do it, unless they seem to exist to fight foreigners.

Thus foreign wars are absolutely necessary to the up-keep of domestic tyrannies.

Foreign wars offer no possible advantage either to honest working people or to honest men of business.

The whole framework of our modern industrial and commercial organization, so far as it is fair and square and businesslike is solidly for peace.

War is more hateful to America than to any other country, because the United States is the greatest industrial institution in the world.

But it is one of the inconveniences of living on a planet peopled with undemocratic nations that we must be ready to defend our democracy with fighting tools.

We must have a good-sized democratic army, which—if not exactly "standing"—can get up on its feet at the tap of the drum.

What we want is a wide national discipline, so that we can mobilize our working power into fighting power on short notice.

HE WAS ALSO SOME NOVELIST.

From the Maryville (Mo.) Democrat-Forum.

Martin Roots, our well-known vegetable and fruit farmer, living just northeast of the city limits, grew up a neighbor to Charles Dickens, the lamented poet laureate and author of England.

BUSINESS OF MOUTH WATERING.

From the Vandalia Democrat.

J. W. Swarm is going to butcher Monday. I wonder how the editor would like to have some of the spare ribs, back bones and good old country sausage? Yum, yum! Ain't they just larpin?

ALMOST UNBELIEVABLE.

Louisville, Ky.—The stork visited the home of Will Shymanski for the third time last week, this time leaving a baby boy. Mr. Shymanski is a member of the firm of S. Shymanski & Sons, Louisville, Ky.

PITY, AND ROUSMITHEM!

From the Cresbard (S. D.) Beacon.

Complaint is made by many of the patrons of the opera house against the gallery habitues, in that they throw nuts and candy at those on the floor of the hall. Anyone who gets his joy at the misery of another is to be pitied, for all thru life he will be his own worst enemy. The marshal should have a seat reserved for him in the gallery, where he could watch the guilty parties and eject them from the hall.

THE HONEYFUGGLE LIMIT.

From the Harlan (Ky.) Enterprise.

Some of those to whom we are sending statements are getting mad about it. This we can't help. We can't set here for forty years and wait for our pay. We have to buy chairs to sit on, pants to wear out upon them and enough corn pone and material for sop to keep the stomache in opperation and those who owe us must foot the bill. We have honeyfuggled for the last eight years and lost more than a thousand dollars—skined from us by those who do not like "duns." We are tired of the honeyfuggling business and are going to look to you who owe us to pay up what you owe.

The Daily Chit Chat

By RUTH CAMERON

A few weeks ago I wrote a little talk about a woman who was too busy keeping her house distressingly immaculate to keep herself even decently so, and whose husband, being but human, consequently noticed the contrast between the slatternly looking woman at home and the dainty and well groomed young woman in his office

A few days later my postman brought me these two letters.

Says the first, after some preliminary—

"I think you did an injustice to all three in this case, the wife, the husband and the stenographer. To compare a wife with family cares and household work to attend to with a fresh young girl who has no care, only to get her puffs on straight and her waists fitting neatly, and to be on time at the office, is what I consider an injustice, and there are still quite a few good men who have call to employ a stenographer and are not as Mr. B. Also there are many in Mr. B.'s shoes who cannot blame their wife's dressing sacque or while-you-wait hair either.

'Now I don't want to side with women who are never neat and wholesome but I do say this, it is unfair as well as uncharitable to condemn a sister when we have only the evidence of what Mrs. Nextdoor has seen. Two to one she is only jealous because Mrs. B. happens to be the best housekeeper.

"And another thing I will say and that is after 20 years of married life, nine out of 10 men would rather have their children well cared for, the house in good order, and a good, substantial, well-cooked meal when it is time than all the puffs and latest styles brought out for women."

Says the second—

'I want to thank you for your talk of last evening It told my story exactly But—presto change—that is all different now. I have learned my lesson

"Perhaps my solution of the problem may be of use to someone else. I find that it costs no more to dress prettily and neatly while working about the house than it does to wear a mother-hubbard wrapper and an unlovely apron. At almost any drg goods store one may purchase pretty little housedresses that both wash and fit perfectly for $1.98. They come in nearly every color and material The plain blue chambrays and black and white percales are especially pretty and durable and are piped with contrasting materials.

"Then, instead of gingham for aprons I choose percale to correspond with my dresses and make them with a high protecting bib and wide skirt. One apron requires three yards of material.

"It is surprising how much neater work one can do and how much longer pretty dresses and aprons keep clean.

"Don't say this isn't practical. It is. I have done it for several years and I do every bit of my own work, too"

Which letters go to show that—"You can please some of the people all of the time, and all of the people some of the time, but you can't please all of the people all the time."

Ruth Cameron

Little Known Facts About Well Known Persons

EMMA EAMES, the grand opera star, although of American parentage, was born in China.

THOMAS A. EDISON, the inventor, has never worn an overcoat, a silk hat or a pair of kid gloves in his life.

RALPH MODJESKO, the son of the late Mme. Modjeska, is a famous bridge engineer. He uses the masculine form of the name.

CY WARMAN, the poet of the rail, was at one time a farmer and wheat broker in Illinois. Later he worked in the railroad shops at Denver.

WILLIAM MARCONI, the wireless wizard, was born in Italy. His mother was Irish born. He married the Hon Beatrice O'Brien of London in 1905

EUGENE ZIMMERMAN, 'ZIM,' the caricaturist was born in Switzerland In his youth he was a fish peddler and later a baker and a sign painter.

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MOTORING IN CHINA

From the New York Sun.

There is no more ideal spot in the world for automobiles than Tsingtau, China, with its 50 or 60 miles of excellent roads extending along the ocean front and into the adjacent mountains, which roads are greatly used in the summer by those spending their holidays at this famous far eastern resort.

However, Tsingtau has only six automobiles, none of American make. While many persons speak of buying automobiles, the opportunity is so limited that they make the best of the situation and fall back on carriages, traps, dogcarts and other vehicles. I believe that a cheap car of known quality could be sold here, but the safest way to introduce the machines would be to form a connection at Shanghai and sell from that point, as the freight charges between Shanghai and Tsingtau are reasonable.

A recent investigation revealed the fact that there are about 3,000 storage battery automobiles in Chicago.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS JUST 30 YEARS AGO TO-DAY

February 20, 1881.

There was no morning service at the Baptist church on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. S. W. Hatch.

There was an extensive conflagration in Silver Cliff, which destroyed several of the principal business houses At this time Silver Cliff was a flourishing mining camp, with several thousand inhabitants. It is now practically abandoned.

A little girl ran away from her home in this city and was found five miles south of town on the Pueblo road and brought back by a ranchman about midnight. Large parties of citizens had been hunting for her since early evening.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

February 20, 1891.

It was announced that there were 100 students in attendance at Colorado College.

A contract for the gymnasium at the college was let.

Professor Cajori gave a public lecture on the electric lighting system as used in the city that was much appreciated by his hearers

SEVEN FAMOUS CHARGES

History has always attached much importance to the Number Seven. "Of all numbers there is no one which commanded, in a higher degree, the esteem and reverence of mankind." The Gazette has taken this charmed number, and has woven into stories on a variety of subjects a Series of Sevens, beginning each Sunday and continuing during the week.

No. 1—THE LIGHT BRIGADE

The pages of all history chronicle on greater charge than that of the "Noble Six Hundred" at the battle of Balaklava. It is the greatest of all the examples showing the deportment of men under strict military discipline. It was a mistake. It was an unnecessary sacrifice. But it is a glorious example of the bravery of men even in the "jaws of death." The cynical old French general—Bosquet—looking down from the heights above Balaklava through his field glasses, after witnessing the charge, turned to the officer beside him and made the oft-repeated comment, "C'est magnifique, mais ce n'est pas la guerre." (It is magnificent! But it is not war!)

In an article on this famous charge, which appeared in "The Quarterly Review," the writer said. "There are some defeats which are more glorious than victories; some failures which are grander than the most brilliant success. The charge of the Light Brigade at Balaklava was a useless waste of life; yet we doubt if any feat of arms in modern times ever had so fine a moral effect as that piece of heroic stupidity."

Commenting on the charge, Major Arthur Griffiths says: "Although it is earnestly hoped that British troops may never again be wasted upon so foolish an enterprise, still the charge of the Light Brigade is a precious heritage, the glory of which will last for all time We think more now of the achievement than the mistake that made it possible."

The charge of the Light Brigade did nothing towards deciding the battle of Balaklava, or towards hastening the capture of Sebastopol, the prime object of the maneuver; yet the charge is remembered today by millions of people who have forgotten every other event in the Crimean war.

In a great measure the familiarity of this charge is to the credit of Tennyson, whose immortal poem so vividly describes it. Years after, upon the anniversary of the battle, the poet was invited to attend a banquet given in London. He was unable to do so, but in declining the invitation, said "A blunder it may have been, but one for which England should be grateful, having thereby learned that her soldiers are the most honest and most obedient under the sun."

The Light Brigade, in this memorable charge on October 25, 1854, was led by Lord Raglan, and consisted of exactly 607 men. The Russians had attacked Balaklava and were partly repulsed by the British, but the valuable cannon captured remained unrecovered. Then it was that Captain Nolan galloped up to General Lord Lucan, giving him an order purporting to come direct from Lord Raglan the British commander-in-chief, ordering him to send the "Light Cavalry Brigade" into the very heart of the mighty Russian army to capture these 11 guns. Lucan stared aghast, for to hurl this puny force against the entire Russian army was nothing less than suicidal.

Lucan dared not disobey. He transmitted the message to Cardigan, and, undismayed, the "Six Hundred" rode forth against the great army. To this day it is not known whether the fatal blunder was the fault of Raglan, of Lucan or of Captain Nolan. In any case, the mischief was done.

Some of their fellow-countrymen, seeing them start, thought they had mistaken their direction. Each volley of Russian artillery and rifle swept dozens of saddles bare of their riders. But despite their dwindling numbers, they pressed unwaveringly ahead. Not a man faltered in the ranks, not a man hesitated to enter "the jaws of death" and "the mouth of hell," as ordered, although every experienced private in the ranks must have realized that "someone had blundered."

"But it was a case of "theirs not to reason why, theirs but to do and die,' and they rode down the long valley with the same coolness and alignment that they would have kept on the parade grounds

"When can their glory fade?
O the world charge they made!
All the world wonder'd
Honor the charge they made,
Honor the Light Brigade,
Noble six hundred'"

TOMORROW—CHASSEURS D'AFRIQUE AT SEDAN

A composite photograph of Abdul Hamid, the deposed Sultan of Turkey, composed of figures of his favorite wives. Hold the photograph at arm's length and the likeness of the sultan will be seen.

The ex-sultan recently killed two of his wives with his naked hands and was only taken a prisoner after a fight in which he himself was severely injured

After the revolution that resulted in the loss of his throne, Abdul Hamid and his household, comprising three sultanas or full wives, four cardines or inferior wives, and five housekeepers was imprisoned in a lonely villa overlooking the sea It was here that the ex-sultan choked one wife to death and threw the other against the wall with such force that she died shortly, after being taken to the hospital.

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Twitching eyelids, headaches, floaters, drowsiness about the eyes, squinting, holding your reading too near or too far are all indications of eye weakness.

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SPRINGS PHYSICIANS ON PROGRAM DENVER MEETING

City Health Officer O. R. Gillett, Dr. A. M. Forster of Cragmor sanatorium and Prof. J. V. Brietweiser of Colorado College, will go to Denver today, where they will attend the meeting of the Colorado Association for the Prevention and Control of Tuberculosis, to be held in that city this evening.

The above are all on the program for addresses to be given before the association at the meeting this evening. Governor Shafroth will preside at the session, which is to be held at the Albany hotel, beginning at 8 o'clock. It was stated last night that a number of other Colorado Springs physicians, especially interested in the work of the association, probably will attend tonight's gathering.

HOOSIERS MEET TONIGHT

Midwinter Session at Y. M. C. A. Promises to Be Big Success. A Good Program.

The Hoosier society of Colorado Springs will hold its midwinter meeting and banquet at the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 8 o'clock. The principal address of the evening will be given by Albert F. Bridges on "Famous Hoosiers." Readings from prominent Indiana authors will also be given by Miss Alberta Carter of Ivywild. Miss Helen Woodsmall will sing a number of songs.

Dr. W. W. Arnold is president of the society, S. T. Wolfe is vice president, and E. P. Hufford is secretary. President Arnold will preside at the banquet tonight and all members of the society and their friends are cordially invited

H. H. SELDOMRIDGE TO ADDRESS MINISTERS

H. H. Seldomridge will speak at the meeting of the Ministerial association at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 4 o'clock on the subject, "The Work of the Ministers From the Standpoint of a Layman."

WILL CALL MEETING SOON TO ARRANGE CELEBRATION

George B. Stewart, pastor of the First Christian church and member of the committee which is making arrangements for the celebration of the tercentenary of the King James version of the Bible in this city on April 26, will call a meeting of the committee some time this week. The main purpose of the meeting will be to arrange for an interdenominational meeting. It is also possible that a midweek meeting may be held.

Countess Spottiswood Mackin, widow of James Mackin, a well-known New York state politician of his day, who is reported from Paris to be about to add another title to the one she received from the vatican. It is said that she is to marry a society man known as the Marquis de Guerin. The betrothal has not yet been formally announced.

De Guerin is a Canadian by birth. His family name is Lajouis. For some years he was a practicing physician in Paris, but gave up that for the law, and recently was admitted to the French bar.

One day in looking over some old family papers, he discovered he was of noble descent and promptly assumed the title of marquis. The countess was Sallie Britton, daughter of a former mayor of St. Louis. Since coming to Paris she has been reported engaged more than once.

MEXICAN REBELS IN PITIFUL CONDITION

E. C. Watson Says Many of Fighters Are Without Shoes and Food.

E. C. Watson, a traveling salesman who spends the most of his time in Colorado and makes his headquarters at Colorado Springs, returned yesterday from El Paso, Tex., and Juarez, Mexico, where he witnessed several of the "near-battles" of the rebels and government forces near the latter city. The condition of the rebels, according to Mr. Watson, is partially the cause for their poor military showing.

"When I left there," he said, "the rebels were without shoes and were so poorly fed that many could not withstand the short marches made by their small and poorly equipped army."

"It has been a surprise to everybody in that part of the country, how strong the rebels showed up against the well-groomed nationals. They fought for a cause and fought hard. The men in charge were not competent to lead an army and this was soon discovered. In all of the skirmishes the men fought guerilla style, concentration of attack being absent."

Mr. Watson stated that the people of El Paso and northern Mexico considered the affair somewhat in the light of a comic opera.

"The insurgent cause has received a setback by the mimic war from which it will never recover," concluded Mr. Watson.

STEEPLEJACK IS ARRESTED

Frank Lynch, Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses, Is Held at Pueblo.

Frank Lynch, a steeplejack, was arrested in Pueblo last night upon instructions from the Colorado Springs detective department on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Lynch will be brought back to this city for trial this afternoon by a deputy sheriff.

Charles Flannigan is the complaining witness, who alleges that Lynch secured $15 from him. Lynch, the authorities say, claims that the money was loaned him and that he fully intended to repay it. He was traced to Pueblo by the detectives through his baggage checks.

Don't forget Joseph Fels' big lecture at Perkins hall tomorrow night.

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JOSEPH FELS WILL REACH THIS CITY THIS EVENING

Joseph Fels, the millionaire and single-tax advocate, will arrive in this city this evening and will make an address tomorrow night in Perkins hall under the auspices of the Direct Legislation league. Mr. Fels is returning from an extended visit in California, where he created a number of sensations by declaring that he was getting his money faster than he thought best. He gives $50,000 yearly to Direct Legislation league enterprises in England and the United States, and travels and lectures at his own expense. The address will be free of charge, and Mr. Fels will give a talk on political subjects for which he has been working for some time

WELL-KNOWN EVANGELIST COMING TO SPRINGS NEXT

Arrangements have been made by the United Brethren in Christ church here to bring to Colorado Springs one of the well-known evangelists of the day. Dr. J. W. Hicks of Fostoria, O., is the man, and he will open a series of meetings in this city, to last one week, on next Sunday. The meetings will be held at the United Brethren in Christ church, at 417 South Cascade avenue. During the meetings there will be special musical programs under the direction of Charles La Valley, and a feature will be a chorus choir of 50 voices. The Rev. Henry Irving Kohler is pastor of the church here.

Dr. Hicks at present is in Berthoud, Colo. Reports from there are to the effect that during the last 11 days that he has conducted services there, there have been 86 conversions and 26 baptisms. People have been attracted to the meetings from Ellwell, Loveland and Longmont, a radius of from 10 to 13 miles, to hear him.

Ralph E. Minier desires to announce to his friends and patrons that on Thursday, February 23rd, 1911, he will remove from room 50 to room 53—same floor—of the Independence (old Postoffice) building, where he will continue to conduct his office of Public Stenographer and Notary Public. New 'phone, Main 823.

"HODOO" STILL WORKING

Colorado College Students May Have to Give Up Washington Birthday Picnic.

For the third successive year it appears that the Washington's birthday picnic at Colorado College will have to be postponed on account of the weather. A tramp to the Garden of the Gods and a number of pleasing features had been planned for the all-day affair and the college people blame it on to their "picnic luck" that it may have to be postponed again.

Abraham Lincoln Essay Contest Had Good Results, Say Teachers

That the work in the English department of the city schools can equal that of any school in the country, is the statement made by several of the judges in the recent Abraham Lincoln essay contest, held by the Ladies of the G. A. R. The prize was won by Miss Francis Curtis, a 12-year-old pupil in the seventh grade of the Garfield school, and honorable mention was given to Anna Elston of the sixth grade of the Liller school, and Ellen Boyden of the sixth grade of the Ivywild school. The teachers of the schools state that interest was aroused in this contest and the pupils actually gained more from their efforts to win prizes than from anything else done this year.

The first prize essay by Francis Curtis follows:

The Prize Essay.

"Of all the noted men in our country there is none whom the people so delight to honor as Abraham Lincoln. Although he was so great a man, he was born in a log hut and his parents were poor.

"His mother died when he was about 9 years old. She must have been a good woman, for in after years he said: 'God bless my mother! All that I am or ever expect to be, I owe to her.'

"He went to a log school house for a short time. He only had half a dozen books, but he read them over and over. Thus he struggled up through a childhood filled with poverty. He was very eager to learn, and improved every opportunity. When he was 22 he made a business trip to New Orleans, where he saw for the first time men and women sold as slaves. This impressed him very much, and he said; 'If I ever get a chance to hit that institution, I'll hit it hard.'

"When he was 28 he was admitted to the bar. He attracted much attention in his debates with Stephen A. Douglas. These debates were on the topics of the times and largely related to the slavery question. Mr. Douglas was called the "Little Giant," on account of his great intellect. He was a very fine speaker, but he often confused the people with his intellectual discourses. Abraham Lincoln dealt with hard questions in language so simple that many a farmer, dulled by toil, understood and was convinced. The simplicity of the Bible dwells in his speeches, and they are now classics in our literature.

"It is not possible in so short a sketch to tell all the events of his life. * * * Soon after the Civil war began he issued the 'Emancipation Proclamation.' The years of his administration were the most trying that our country has ever known. He was often misunderstood, but no temptation could turn him from the course of right.

"My grandfather, a veteran of the Civil war, well remembers how severely he was criticised by members of both political parties. Now we can better judge of his career than could the people of that time, and we recall the words of Henry Ward Beecher, written after Lincoln's death: 'Dead, he speaks to men who now willingly hear what before they refused to listen to. Now his simple and weighty words shall be gathered like those of Washington, and your children and your children's children shall be taught to ponder the simplicity and deep wisdom of the utterances, which, in time of party heat, passed as idle words.'

"It was love of country and humanity, not selfish ambition, which controlled all his public life. The whole nation mourns his death, and we now Think of him in the words of Phillips Brooks: 'At the last behold him standing with hand reached out to feed the south with mercy and the north with charity and the whole land with peace, when the Lord who sent him called him, and his work was done.'"

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W. W. PRICE RETURNS FROM WESTERN TRIP

Believes Some of Los Angeles "Boosting Serum" Should Be Injected Here.

W. W. Price, who has spent the last three months in California and the southwest, has returned to Colorado Springs filled with admiration for the boosting spirit of California cities in general and Los Angeles in particular.

"I don't know what they do with their knockers out there," said Mr. Price, "but they must do away with them some way, for I couldn't find any in my whole sojourn. The result is that everybody seems able to boost the other fellow's proposition. They look upon every newcomer as a possible future resident, and treat him accordingly.

"Los Angeles, in particular, is on the boom. They have an 11-story limit on their skyscrapers there, and when I left, the other day, there were three large buildings going up to the limit in height, and others of lesser dimensions all over the city.

"My trip took me to the oil fields in that vicinity and I noticed that the oil business is now largely lacking in the speculative character which characterized it in the past. It is now on a comparatively sound business basis.

"All California is pleased over the securing of the big 1915 fair for San Francisco; Los Angeles rejoices in particular. I hear that business conditions in the southern city, however, far surpass those in the one at the Golden Gate, although the latter will soon experience a slight boom as the direct result of getting the big exposition.

"With R. P. Davis of this city and A. E. Carlton and Ed Trevarrow of Cripple Creek, I went into Arizona and looked over some properties there, but did nothing definite with regard to them. We also went over to the big project in connection with the Roosevelt dam, which is expected to be of such value to the country adjacent.

"Perhaps the best idea that I brought back from the trip, which extended over three months, was that it would be a good thing to have some of the Los Angeles 'boosting serum' injected into us in Colorado Springs."

MAYOR OF LINCOLN, NEB., SPEAKS HERE TONIGHT

Under the auspices of the Law Enforcement league, Mayor Don L. Love of Lincoln, Neb., will speak at the First Methodist church tonight. The subject of the lecture is, "What the Local Option Law Has Done for Lincoln." He states, in a letter received here, that his lecture will concern the business, social and moral effects of the law in that city.

Weak, Cold Spells

Wilmington, N. C.—Mrs. Cora L. Ritter, of this place, says: "I used to have headaches, and blind dizzy spells, and weak cold spells went all over me. I had different doctors, but they were unable to tell me what was wrong, so I began to take Cardui. I am now all right, in good health, and better than I have been for 10 years. Cardui is a remedy for women, which has been helping sick women for nearly a lifetime. You can absolutely rely upon it. Other people have done the testing, and you should profit by their experience. Cardui has benefited a million women. Why not you? Begin taking Cardui today.

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An Opportunity for Shakespearean Students to Secure Box Seats to Mr. Frederick Warde's Performance

By special arrangement with the manager of Mr. Frederick Warde, the famous Shakespearean tragedian, who appears at the Opera House Washington's birthday, Wednesday matinee and night, in "Julius Caesar" and "Virginius," The Colorado Springs Gazette is able to offer to the six students, between the ages of 15 and 20 years, who give the best answers to the following questions, seats for Mr. Warde's performances at the Opera House.

The questions are as follows:

(1) What is your idea of the accuracy of Shakespeare's portraits of the historical characters in his various dramas? An answer to this would include a short discussion as to whether Shakespeare sacrifices historical truth for dramatic effect and as to whether you believe his plays aid or hinder the student in forming a correct conception of the various notable personages Shakespeare presents in his dramas.

(2) What is your idea as to the effect the death of Caesar had upon Rome's future and the future of the world at large? A reply to this query would include a brief argument of what Caesar might have accomplished and how his future actions might have changed the political map of the world.

(3) What is your idea about the old Roman patrician rights over children as exemplified in Sheridan Knowles' "Virginius?" In this drama Knowles pictures a Roman father killing his daughter in order to save her from the hands of Appius Claudius, who is about to claim her as the daughter of one of his slaves. The Roman fathers believed that they had absolute rights over their children. Modern parents are inclined to think so, too, but perhaps not to such a great extent as did the ancients. In answering this question, the writer should briefly express how far he thinks a father's right over a child extends, whether to a point of taking its life, should he so desire.

All answers to the above questions must be sent to The Gazette office so that they will reach here before 7 o'clock Monday night. Answers must be written in ink, on one side only of the paper, as legibly as possible and addressed care the Dramatic Editor, Colorado Springs Gazette. Each answer to a single question is not to exceed 100 words. The name and address of the contestant is to be written on a separate sheet of paper and enclosed in the same envelope which contains the answer.

The prizes to be awarded are as follows:

First: One box, four seats, for "Julius Caesar."

Second: One box, four seats, for "Virginius."

Third: Two parquet seats for "Virginius."

Fourth: Two parquet seats for "Julius Caesar."

Fifth: Two dress circle seats for "Julius Caesar."

Sixth: Two dress circle seats for "Virginius."

PEDAGOGUES TO STOP OFF

National Educational Assn. Meeting in San Francisco This Year Will Bring Many Here.

Since the announcement that the American Library association, which meets in San Francisco next summer, would stop off here on its way back east, it has become evident that this city and region will reap great benefit from the hundreds of delegates to far western conventions, who will stop off here either going or coming.

Chief among the gatherings which will result in large benefit to this city is that of the National Educational association. Literally, thousands take advantage of the exceedingly low rates on account of that meeting, and, since the convention is this year in San Francisco, many will be the pedagogues and men and women of note who will stop off here to see the sights and get a breath of fresh Colorado air and sunshine.

Wholly aside from the many conventions to the west of Colorado, there are a number of meetings scheduled for Denver, and, in each instance, delegates to those meetings will undoubtedly spend some time in this city.

The annual convention of Western Retail Lumbermen's association opens in San Francisco today and lasts until Wednesday.

All members of the W. O. W. and their friends are requested to attend an entertainment given by Pikes Peak camp No. 5, Tuesday night at the hall, 9 East Bijou street. Admission free.

You are invited to hear Joseph Fels, the millionaire reformer, at Perkins hall tomorrow night.

SIX PATROLS OF BOY SCOUTS MEET TODAY

The six patrols of Boy Scouts of this city will hold two meetings this week to increase the interest in their work. The first meeting will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Washington school, and will be for the boys only. Another meeting to be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock will be for parents and teachers. Chief Scout Walter Thomas will have charge of the meetings and interesting programs are to be given. The original patrol here was organized among the boys of St. Stephen's church, and another was later formed at the St. Stephen's school. There are also two patrols each at the Steele school and at the Y. M. C. A.

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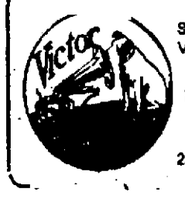

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By I. E. SANBORN.

CHICAGO, Feb 19—Brimful of confidence in his team, Manager Frank Chance returned to Chicago the latter part of the week ready to take the tiller preparatory to piloting the Cubs to another championship and increasing the "500" club to "600." Accompanying him on the long journey from California were Mrs. Chance and Mr and Mrs. Mordecai Peter Centennial Brown, equally cheerful and ready to combat any suggestion that the Cubs can't repeat.

The overland tourists were met at Joliet by an advance guard of friends, and at the Polk street station a bigger delegation added to the hearty welcome. The manager and his wife, as soon as they could escape the greeters, boarded President Murphy's car and were whisked away to their north side residence, while the pitcher and his wife found quarters at a downtown hotel, as they plan to go to Terre Haute for a few days with the home folks before the training trip starts.

Chance is fit for the 1911 campaign and looks 300 per cent better than when he left for the coast last fall He has 20 pounds more flesh and plans to work off 10 of it this spring, keeping the rest in reserve for the heavy strain of the six months' fight

The Cub leader not only thinks his team will win the pennant again, but is willing and able to tell why he thinks so, and this is it

"We will win," he said, "because we won easily last year with a team that was not at its best. With just the same men in the ranks the Cubs will be stronger than last season. I do not look for any such run of hard luck as we encountered all through 1910. But the race will be a harder one, because the other teams have strengthened To offset that we have picked up a lot of promising material from which we certainly ought to gain as much new strength as that aded to the other teams. New York and Cincinnati have braced their teams and Pittsburg must always be counted in the running. Fred Clarke is a grand fighter and you have to figure him in all the time, no matter what they may tell you about his team

"The Reds will be especially dangerous if that man McQuillen is right. Much depends on him, but I believe Griffith can get the best he has and that means he will be a grand pitcher. With McQuillen added to the pitching staff Griff's bunch will be a tough proposition His men are fast on the bases and in the field, while they are liable to break things up at the bat any minute.

"Nevertheless I don't see anything but a win for the Cubs in the end. We are not going to have Reulbach sick with diphtheria and weak from the effects of it for the greater part of the season. We missed him last year. Then Pfeister just as he was going right broke his wrist. Overall twisted a ligament in his pitching arm and could not help us in the latter half of the season. If we could win in the face of all that happened to us last year, I can't see how they can beat us if we have only the average amount of tough breaks in a season.

"We have some mighty good material among the recruits and a lot of them are pitchers. We need only one good one out of the lot. Vic Willis will be a big help. I shall always believe he pitched Pittsburg into the championship in 1909. He did not go back as fast as many people think in a single season I attribute his comparatively poor showing last year to the conditions in St. Louis. Willis is a cool weather pitcher and is best in spring and fall. It is awful hot at times in St. Louis and the heat weakened him. Chicago is far cooler and —well, you just watch Vic.

"There can't be any loafing, however, if we are going to cop again Every man must be on his toes from the start. For that reason there are not going to be any excuses from the training trip Every man must be on hand Yes that goes for Kling, too I saw the report he was not wanting to join us until along in April. If he was correctly quoted I presume that has some connection with the twisted interviews with me sent out of California this winter Somebody did some misquoting out there for I never said Archer was a better catcher than Kling I probably said Archer and Kling would alternate behind the bat to even up the work Nor did I ever say Steinfeldt in particular would have to show me a lot to stay on third. Steiny will have to show me something, to be sure but so will every man on the squad They always have had to show me, and they always have delivered. I expect them to do it again Steiny included."

JOHNSON TELLS OF HIS HARDEST FIGHT

(This story of his hardest battle was dictated by Champion Jack Johnson to his wife and by her transcribed on a typewriter. Except for the customary editing, the "copy" is produced verbatim.)

By JACK JOHNSON.

I have been asked to say a few words concerning the hardest battle of my career.

This battle took place in Galveston in the month of August, 1896, between myself and a colored fighter named John Lee.

I will never forget that fight It took place in a field, in the hot sun, and we could not get any water even to rinse our mouths out with. For 17 rounds we battled in the heat, when I knocked him out I received for this fight the sum of $10

Some 10 or 12 years ago when I was quite clever in the boxing line, I tried to get a manager, but could not. After I became noted men from all sides tried to get the position, including Tom O'Rourke

When I took Sam Fitzpatrick for manager every fighting fan in America and other parts of the world knew that I had beaten all the good men. So no one can say that Sam Fitzpatrick made me a champion, and furthermore, it makes no difference how good and how shrewd a manager may be, the fighter must have talent and ability to become a champion Zick Abrams has looked out for my affairs in San Francisco for quite a few years, and we have always been friends

When I came back from Australia, George Little sent for me and presented me with a diamond ring and asked me if I would take him for a manager. After considering the matter I accepted him We got along well together for about a year, until the Jeffries fight when he wanted me to do things which I did not think were quite right, and then I let him go

I gave Tom Flanagan of Toronto, Ont, the position as manager for a short period of time Sig Hart acted as chief messenger for me, and then when he found out that I was without a manager he wanted the position himself. I could not see it that way, as I knew that he was very much disliked by the sporting writers and the sporting element in general. So I let him go for lies which I caught him telling that caused trouble for me with my friends and sporting writers throughout the country.

BREAKS AMERICAN SKI-JUMP RECORD

IRONWOOD, Mich Feb 19.—All the American records for ski jumping were broken today at the annual tournament of the Ironwood Ski club by Andrew Haugen of Chippewa Falls, last year's national champion, who jumped 152 feet. The previous American record of 140 feet was made at Marquette a year ago by August Nordby of Superior, Wis Amateur Champion Barney Riley of Colerainc, Minn made 151 feet, but fell

JEFF AND OLDFIELD DOING OLD MEXICO

By TAD

NEW YORK, Feb 19—Jim Jeffries and Lil Artha Johnson are simply pestered to death these days with queries, offers and knocker

Johnson has taken refuge in a bungalok at the Ocean Beach Frisco while Jiumma Da Jegg found an 'out' in Mexico Jeff is simply killing the easy life down there with Barney Oldfield and there's no telling when he will return to Los Angeles Jeffries never was much of a mixer with the sporting parrots liking the hills or the farm rather than the gab of the cafes

Oldfield's manager sends out the following notice, which tells us that the ex boilermaker is watching the bulls and likes it better than listening to them

"Barney Oldfield and Jim Jeffries are doing Mexico The world's speed king is filling engagements in the Mexican capital and such other cities as the insurgents have left open, while 'Jeff' is along on a pleasure trip

"Accompanying the pair are each wives, Jack Kipper, Jeffries' partner in the Los Angeles cafe Mrs Kipper and Eddie Maier, the California sportsman, who is the official referee on the Pacific coast for the big automobile events

"A special Pullman combination car is in commission for the party and stops are being made wherever the scenery or hunting is good Oldfield's racing cars are being shipped from city to city in his private garage car.

"Contrary to reports, 'Jeff' is not going to engage in any sparring exhibitions in Mexico"

Lake to Help Train Browns

ST. LOUIS, Feb 19—President Hedges and Manager Wallace of the Bowns return'd to St Louis from the American league meeting in Chicago minus any new ball players That means that Wallace will start for Hot Springs with his present squad

President Hedges hinted however that he had carried a deal and that may mean that the Browns land a high-class player He failed to say what men were involved in the deal

Fred Lake the Browns chief scout who had expected to meet President Hedges and Manager Wallace in Chicago during the American league meeting, did not come west from Boston Instead, President Hedges notified him that his presence in the Windy city was unnecessary

Hedges said he intended Lake to report in St Louis March 1 to accompany the Browns to Hot Springs Besides assisting Manager Wallace with the big squad of players at the Arkansas spa, Wallace will have the scout look over the squads of the Pittsburg Cincinnati and Brooklyn players which will be at the Springs at the same time

It is also probable that Wallace will send Lake over a circuit of other big league training camps during March Before the American league season begins some of the clubs will be forced to cut down their squads It is Wallace's contention that some of the clubs may have players who would fill in nicely on the Browns

In Scotland public golf links are made to pay for themselves at four cents a round.

BRESNAHAN EXPECTS STRENUOUS SEASON

TOLEDO, O, Feb 19—Of the three major league players that make this city their home, Addie Joss, the crack Cleveland pitcher, Fred Merkle, the fast New York Giant first-sacker, and Roger Bresnahan the snappy St. Louis Cardinal manager, Merkle will be the first to make the spring getaway.

He will leave here tomorrow and will depart from New York for Texas on Saturday by boat Bresnahan will soon follow Roger will go straight to St Louis where he will assemble his youngsters for the invasion of the southland

Addie Joss will not drop the management of his poolroom here until March 1 Joss will then be his own trainer this spring and will use his own methods to get into shape He knows better than anyone else the most complete way to fit himself for the big struggle this year

The Cleveland twirler is in excellent condition and won't have to take off much weight this spring He has traveled a good many miles around his billiard tables and the usual unnecessary tissues have long since disappeared

Bresnahan expects to put in a strenuous spring Roger states that not only will he have to watch his aggregation of youngsters closely, but expects to get out and dig himself Now that Ed Phillips is gone, Roger will be compelled to do most of the backstopping himself, and this, together with the anxiety of his youngsters making good, will not give the manager many idle moments this summer.

M'FARLAND HAS A SERIES OF MONEY MAKING FIGHTS

By H. M. WALKER.

LOS ANGELES, Feb 19—P. McFarland has given us his confidence During the next few weeks to come the stock yards youngster is going to be as busy as a one-legged man trying to do a clog dance He appears to be quite proud of the fact

Packey announces that he has closed for three matches, with a fourth battle in sight Wednesday night, in Philadelphia, he meets Frankie Madole. On either March 2 or 3 he fights before the Fairmount Athletic club of New York, his opponent to be Sammy Smith or Tommy Murphy. Before the same club on March 14 he goes against Owen Moran. In the event of McFarland winning all three of these he tackles Ad Wolgast in New York on April 1.

This wholesale matching up of the Chicago chopper spells money, much good money, for the already healthy McFarland bank account. Coin and additional growth to Packey's prestige is in plain sight. We don't require the services of Marvelous Griffith to figure it out There isn't a single danger spot in the above schedule.

I don't know of a lightweight in the game today who can cause any serious trouble for McFarland in a six or 10-round bout If Packey himself would train down to 133 pounds ringside it would be a different thing. This the shrewd welter refuses to do He enjoys a weight advantage every time he enters the ring, and the astonishing part of it is that the eastern sports look upon this as a perfectly natural condition of affairs.

Add to the favorable weight arrangement the fact that McFarland is a fast, clean, punishing boxer of the highest order, and you can see where I arrive at the answer that in a short bout Packey is immune to danger.

To take up his present ring contracts. The bout with Madole—What? Search me I never heard of him, either—is a weak and one-sided match. How Promoter Jack O'Brien can afford to offer such a mediocre attraction to his high-toned patrons is a question that belongs side by side with the query concerning the age of Ann We will concede this event to McFarland with no further comment.

Packey then hops the flyer for New York to play his one-night stand against Sammy Smith or Tommy Murphy Smith has not yet risen to the dignity of having his name placed in the record book. This looks like a sure 'plant' for McFarland. Tommy Murphy is the original No-Decision Kid, having more of these unsatisfactory affairs opposite his name than he has freckles on his face. The best that can be 'doped' in Murphy's favor is that he might hold Packey even for 10 rounds

McFarland's meeting with Moran is really the only one of the above dates that can be looked upon as a genuine contest The Englishman has too much at stake these days to allow Packey to have him Moran has a strong liking for the short route and can "cut and slash" for 10 rounds with the best of them. There will be something to gamble about if this battle is pulled off

As for Ad Wolgast, he has his hands full as it is, with Brown and Memsic on his book. Unless I miss my guess, Ad will accumulate much grief if he is foolish enough to go against McFarland in anything under a 20-round affair.

Any old way you look at it, though, Packey McFarland is going to gather in great quantities of pay dirt Far be it from such that we would begrudge him the same Go get it

NO-HIT GAME DIDN'T OCCASION SURPRISE

Pitching a no-hit game 30 years ago did not cause near the sensation in the world of baseball that the performance of such a feat does today, says Business Manager Bancroft of the Reds

"Why, I remember back in 1879, over 30 years ago mind you, when J Lee Richmond, now a teacher in a Toledo high school, pitched a no-hit game the first time he worked in a professional contest, and the performance didn't cause any kind of a stir.

"Richmond was a student at Brown university at the time and was pitching some great ball. I was managing the Worcester team, and we needed a good pitcher to face the Chicago club one day, so we sent to Providence for Richmond, and he came

"What he did in his first game is history Not one member of the Chicago club reached first base on a hit One player received a base on balls, but was thrown out trying to go to second. His regular catcher at Brown caught Richmond that game, and we paid the two $20 for their afternoon's work

After the game Pop Anson came to me and asked me if I had signed up Richmond I told him I had but that wasn't true. That same afternoon I signed him to a contract for $100 a month

"We asked him to pitch another game for us later It was on the day he was to graduate He graduated in the morning and in the afternoon was rushed to Worcester on a fast train The opposition hammered him all over the lot that afternoon, but he was a great pitcher and soon was pitching rings around most of the flingers in the league"

AUSTRALIAN ATHLETES WILL VISIT AMERICA

NEW YORK, Feb 19—There is every possibility that some Australian athletes may pay a flying visit here next fall. A team of athletes, swimmers and other performers is going to England for the Empire celebration and the plan is that they will return home this way. There will be men for all the distances up to a mile, as well as hurdlers and jumpers Among the probable members figured on is Guy Haskins, who attended the University of Pennsylvania and won the intercollegiate in record time He is now living at Christ Church New Zealand, and though he was said to have forsaken the path, he never gave up a little practice now and again and it is claimed can move as fast as ever

The sprints will be looked after by W. A Woodger of New Zealand who can do about even time for the 100 yards, and Nigel Barker who once beat Duffey The man for the half mile will be G. A Wheatley of Victoria, the present holder of the Australasian record of 1 minute 56 seconds These figures he set up a couple of years ago and it is said that he is much faster now L L Davies will be used in the hurdles and the running broad jump and is a first rate performer at both Last year he made a world's record for the 440 yards high hurdles by running in 57 1-5 seconds and he can beat 16 seconds for the 120 yards high sticks. He has a record of 23 feet 3 inches for the running broad jump.

The swimmers will be Beaurepaire and Cecil Healy. The latter has improved so much of late that recently he failed only by a few seconds to lower the world's record for the mile. The athletic associations of Victoria New South Wales and New Zealand will contribute a fund to defray the expenses of the team

IN THE WAKE OF THE NEWS

"There are a few ducks on the lakes in the Fountain valley and more are expected," says the duck editor of a local daily. Hunters are hoping that the ducks will give due notice of the date of their expected arrival.

Press dispatches bring the news that there are two more fighters who would take the championship from Jack Johnson. It's a foregone conclusion that at least one of them, no other than the versatile Kid McCoy, will receive the white man's "nope." McCoy announced his intention of "coming back" some three months ago, and nearly everybody took the matter as a joke. McCoy says the victory of Johnson over Jeffries set him thinking, pointing out that it was a battle in which science won over brute strength. "As I said," McCoy continued, "I began thinking. I know that I still retain my skill as a boxer, also what my friends are pleased to call the 'cork-screw' punch. Many have tried to master that punch, but no one has succeeded. Why shouldn't I be the white man's hope? So I commenced to get back into shape. Through my many training experiences I learned a lesson the lesson that is going to show the public that a man really can come back. I learned when training that I was always tired after a day's work; other fighters say the same thing. I figured this was not the way nature intended, and several weeks ago I decided on a hygiene apparatus which strengthens up a man and compels proper breathing. It has brought me back to my old-time form, and so confident am I that I am willing to fight any man of my class in the world. Jack Johnson is the man I want to fight, and I have $10,000 in real money to post for a match. Most people, however, have to be shown, and I am ready to show them. In order to convince the public of my sincerity, I stand ready to take on the next best man in the heavyweight class, Al Kaufman. I will sign articles to meet him within the next 60 days, and will bet $5,000 that I defeat him. That is how positive I am that I am already 'back.' All I want is a chance." Kid McCoy, former light heavyweight champion of the world, and probably the cleverest boxer of his day, claims that nature's cure has rejuvenated him to the extent that he is as good as ever. He is demonstrating the "rejuvenating apparatus" in a Philadelphia store window, but the best bet is that Johnson will pay no attention to the challenge.

Jack Lester, a protege of Tommy Burns, is the other challenger of the champion. He says he is ready to meet Johnson in a finish contest within two weeks in private or public, winner take all.

If the bout is not again postponed, Sam Langford and Bill Lang will clash in London on Wednesday night. Hugh McIntosh, who is handling Lang, says the Australian fighter has shown such marked progress in his work that Langford is in for a surprise party. "Beggar Sam" has been putting in some hard licks at his camp outside of London and the experts on the other side say that Lang is in for a drubbing. He is intent on beating the Australian and forcing Johnson into a match for the title. Wednesday's fight is for the heavyweight championship of Australia.

The golden dream of the ball player of a $10,000 bonus and a five-year contract at a princely stipend is as good as shattered for another year at least, and a third league is almost as visionary as Doc Cook's view of the North pole. Options on a million dollars' worth of star pastimers have expired and said pastimers will strive to earn their pittance from the same old club and in the same old way for another season.

Russell Ford will be with the New York Americans again the coming season. He encountered Chase in Chicago yesterday and signed a contract. While the Yankees' manager refuses to make public the amount he will pay Ford, it is understood that the figure is $6,000. Ford has been holding out for an increase in salary.

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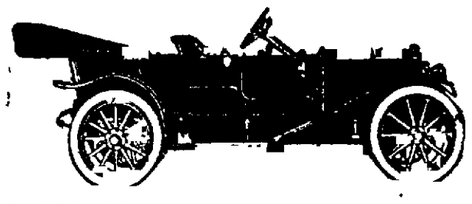

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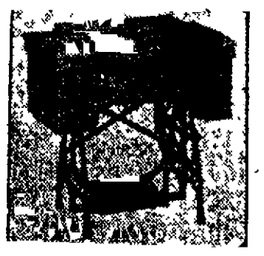

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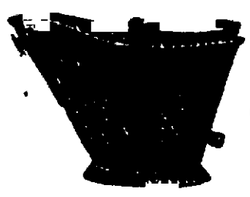

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CONFECTIONERY and grocery business, well established, cheap. Must sell. H-88 Gazette.

FOR SALE FURNITURE

BRASS and iron beds, sanitary couch, dressers, commodes, dining table, chairs, rockers, buffet, china cabinet, kitchen cabinet, bookcase, rugs, Sheffield plate, sewing machine, steel range, desk, hose. 32 N. Nevada Ave.

FOR SALE—Dining room table, $5; 6 dining chairs, $1.50 each; rug, $1.50; other articles cheap. 418 East Dale. Phone 1715.

60-inch roll top desk and revolving chair, letter press and other office furniture. Call Main 2356.

HANDSOME dining room set complete and other furniture. 1129 Wood Ave.

Auctions and Auctioneers

COL. D. A. DIBB, AUCTIONEER. Office, 32 N. Tejon. Phone Main 790.

BOARD AND ROOMS

STAR RANCH, in the pines, three miles south of city limits; an abundance of fresh milk, cream and eggs; table unexcelled; rooms and cabins, with sleeping porches; investigation solicited. Phone Red 992.

ROOMS and board, home cooking served family style; rate reasonable. 327 N. Tejon.

NICELY furnished cottage tent with board; Jersey cow, fresh eggs; fine location for health seeker. Phone 1513.

SUITE of sunny south rooms with private lavatory, extra fine table board. Phone 2345. 1705 N. Tejon.

A SPLENDID home-cooked meal at 444 E. Pikes Peak Ave., for 25c.

FOR RENT ROOMS Furnished

THE HALCYON,
320 N. Tejon street; rooms single and en suite; every modern convenience; permanent and transient; rates, $3.00 per week and up. Phone 632.

WANTED—A few roomers, nice neat furnished rooms, free bath; furnace heat in all rooms, reasonable rates. 19 West View Place.

BY MARCH 1, large, bright room, all home comforts, walking distance, north. Address H-96, Gazette.

CLEAN, well furnished, modern rooms by day or week. 'The Arletta," 2 S. Wahsatch.

TWO or three well furnished modern housekeeping rooms, very reasonable. 219 N. El Paso

NEWLY furnished, strictly modern, reasonable. 211 N Weber. Phone Main 2745.

ROOMS, $1.50 and $2.00 per week; gas range for light housekeeping. 611 N. Cascade.

NICE suite of light housekeeping rooms for $10 per month; no children. 422½ S. Tejon St.

FRONT suite; private porch; modern; rooms, $2 week up. 9 W. Boulder. Phone 2659.

MODERN flat, neat and cozy; 3 rooms, sleeping porch, bath, heat, gas and gas range. 328 E. Yampa.

A FIRST-CLASS front room, ground floor for a gent, $10, and rooms for housekeeping. 319 S. Weber St.

STEAM heat; 323 N. Tejon St.; under new management, will give board, March 1. Phone Main 2706.

THREE or 4 connecting rooms, fully modern; will rent to a couple. 422 E. Bijou.

SUITE of rooms or single rooms, furnished or unfurnished. 211 E. Uintah.

2 BEAUTIFUL front rooms, with kitchen privileges. 712 N. Tejon St.

STRICTLY modern rooms at 322 N. Nevada. Business men a specialty.

2 OR 3 connecting rooms for housekeeping. 817 N. Tejon. Phone 1592.

WARM rooms; winter rates; sleeping porch. 315 N. Weber.

NICE, bright and warm rooms. 219 East Yampa St.

3 ROOMS, modern, separate entrance, $10 per month. 1505 N. Corona.

TWO sunny rooms. Miss Womack, 432 North Nevada Ave. Phone 1768.

FOR RENT ROOMS Unfurnished

THREE nice housekeeping rooms; separate entrances; lights and gas. 117 S. Corona.

HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE—2 work horses, $110; 1 grey horse, $45; 1 bay mare, $90; 2 geldings, 2,700 lbs., good pullers, $275; 1 large work mule, $150; 1 wagon with coal bed, $35; 1 nearly new 2¾ broad tire Baine, $55; will trade wagons, buggies, carriages and harness for horses. D. B. Snouffer, 607 W. Huerfano. Phone 2011.

FOR SALE—Nice gentle driving horse, new buggy and harness.

COOPER & COOPER
Real Estate
Phone Main 770. Room 2 P. O. Bldg.

FOR SALE—Good driving and saddle mare, harness and rubber tire runabout, $90; one surrey $17. 145 Tenth street, Ivywild.

THREE light farm wagons in good order. Jno. Deere Plow Co., 17 West Huerfano St.

HORSES, mules, wagons, harness, carriages and buggies for sale. 607 W. Huerfano.

FOR SALE—A set of good work harness and ranch wagon. 210 S. El Paso St.

BAY horse, sound, weight 1,350 pounds, city broke, 7 years old, bargain. 224 S. Tejon St.

FOR SALE—Big mule team, five years old. Inquire 107 E. Pikes Peak.

GOOD milk wagon for sale. 830 East Moreno. Phone Red 562.

GRADUATE OSTEOPATH

DR. KLEIN, graduate Still's College, Kirksville, Mo., 601-602 605 Exc Nat'l Bank Bldg. Office especially equipped for treatment of chronic diseases. General practice. Specialty stomach and female troubles, rheumatism, constipation, goiters, nervous diseases. Ten years' practice. Res. 516 N. Cascade. Phone office, 1370; res., 2462. We especially emphasize accurate diagnosis in our cases, believing that it is only possible to obtain a cure when a correct diagnosis is rendered.

DR. G. W. Pauly and Lona E. Pauly, graduates Still's college, Kirksville, Mo. G. W. Pauly, offices at 201-202-203-204 DeGraff Bldg., 118 N. Tejon St., phone Main 1701, and Lona E. Pauly, offices at 1211 N. Weber St., phone Main 956. As treatments progress, like lessons, it is best that each have separate patients and practices. Come in and we will show you to your satisfaction what has caused your trouble.

DR. CONWAY, Still graduate; general practice; specialty of female troubles and goiters; examination free. Phone or call El Paso Bank Bldg.

E. L. MUMMA, M. D. D. O., 608-609-610 Exchange National Bank Building. Phones: Office, 1874; residence, 1822.

POULTRY SUNDRIES

FOR SALE—Light Brahmas and Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, 75 cents; also imported canaries. 826 S. Nevada Ave.

EGGS for setting: thoroughbred R. C. Reds and Houdans. C. J. Cary, Phone 815.

WE carry Wilbur's Poultry Food. Chick, Staple-Fancy Grocer, 401 S. Tejon.

RED Rhode Island chickens for sale. 501 Beacon St., Roswell.

FOR RENT—Cottage with large poultry yards, cheap. 1040 E. Platte.

FOR RENT HOUSES Unfurnished

NORTHEAST, one block from car line, new four-room bungalow, $12.00 per month. Hastings-Allen Realty and Building Co., 110 N. Tejon.

4-ROOM cottage with sleeping porch, modern except furnace. Inquire at 116 E. Espanola.

FOR RENT—Cottage with large poultry yards, cheap. 1040 E. Platte.

8-ROOM house; modern; 1104 Lincoln; reasonable rent. Clark, 224 E. P. P.

FIVE-ROOM apartment in the Colchester. Apply Owner, 73 Bank Bldg.

4-ROOM house, modern except heat; large chicken lot 214 W. Mill St.

3-ROOM cottage, 423 E. Boulder. Apply Wm. Clark, 419 E. Boulder.

STRICTLY modern 6 rooms, 325 E. Yampa Phone 2268.

5-ROOM modern house, 2027 N. Tejon St; $25.

FOR RENT HOUSES Furnished

7-ROOM modern house, 4 bed rooms, bath and extra lavatory; very desirable and close in; or, would sell furnishings and give satisfactory lease on house; no sickness; party leaving city. Main 2356.

PRETTY rustic cottage, comfortable, freshly done inside; two rooms, sleeping porch, gas range, $12 month. 1713 Wood avenue.

COSY rustic cottage, sleeping porch. Gas range. Electricity, fine yard. 1711 Wood.

4-ROOM cottage, modern except heat, nicely furnished. 217 North Corona. Deal Shoe Co., S. Tejon St.

THREE-ROOM furnished house. Apply 14 S. Corona. Phone Red 284. $10.00.

EIGHT-ROOM house, well furnished, close in. 36 W. Bijou.

5-ROOM house, nicely furnished; mod. ex. heat; no children. 611 E. St Vrain.

3-ROOM cottage, furnished, rent $12 per month. Phone White 101.

LARGE 3-room furnished cottage. 1411 N. Wahsatch avenue.

For Sale or Exchange

TO EXCHANGE

10-acre tract near Fruita, Colo., good water right, $1,500, for property here of equal value.

640 acres San Luis valley, $2,500, for property here of equal value.

Owners of each of the above will be here Monday; come early.

WESTERN REALTY CO.
25 East Kiowa St.

WILL SELL, at bargain or trade for Colorado Springs real estate, 1,100 acres rich farm land; can be irrigated. Address H-82, Gazette.

CLAIRVOYANT

NOTED PSYCHIC, Mrs. Sampson, has returned; all work guaranteed; prices within reach of all; readings daily; meetings Sun. and Thurs. evenings. 113½ E. Pikes Peak.

Storage and Transfer

WE MOVE IN THE BEST SOCIETY

SMITH STORAGE & TRANSFER CO.

DRESSMAKING

COMPETENT dressmaker, sewing by day, or will engage two or three days each week in family. Address H-90, Gazette.

DRESSMAKING—All work guaranteed. 1327 Colorado Ave. Phone Blue 722.

WANTED—Sewing by the day. Mrs. Nichols, Main 2849. 116 E. Boulder.

TO TRADE

FOR TRADE.

A good, modern 7-room dwelling on west side, 2 blocks from car line, in first-class condition, the very best of new plumbing, hot water heat. Price, $3,250, clear. Owner will exchange this for a good residence on or W. of Wahsatch, S. of college, and on or N. of Pikes Peak, and pay $1,000 to $2,000 difference or assume.
GEO. W. MORRIS, Room 25, P. O. Bldg.

FOR TRADE

Business property in Colo. Springs; income, $780.00 a year; will trade for improved ranch.

JOHN B. ORRIS & CO.
314 Mining Exchange.

VACANT lot, northeast, to trade for furniture or piano. Room 25 P. O. Bldg., phone Main 1189.

TO TRADE several vacant lots in Colorado Springs for improved property. Address K-4, care Gazette.

WILL trade clear lots and cash for good equity. P. O. Box 173.

FOR RENT OFFICES

OFFICE space with lights, etc.; ground floor. Hastings Allen Co., 110 North

MASSAGE

SWEDISH massage parlor. Mme. C. Schrader, 113½ E. P. Peak. Rm. 12.

NOTICE

THE PALM BEACH FARMS CO.

Our next excursion to Palm Beach, Florida, leaves Colorado Springs on the evening of February 20th We have already had over four hundred people down to see our land. They are all pleased and are advising their friends to buy in a country where the possibilities are immense. Anyone interested in this proposition can go on this excursion on our excursion rates, or we will pay all expenses of one representing ten buyers or prospective buyers. It will be well to notify us at once so that we can make reservations as soon as is possible.

Remember, this land of ours is ready for the settler now. It does not have to be drained and is close to the railroad and good towns. Call or send for literature or information as to rates. We can start you on the road to independence.

The Hutchison-Hill Land Sales Co.
105 E. Pikes Peak Ave.

Wants

FOR SALE Real Estate

FOR SALE.

$3750.00

A fine home in the north part of the city, has 7 rooms, fully modern house, good barn, lawn, cement walk, shade trees, all in good condition This price should sell it on sight. Call and let us show you.

A.B. Williams & Co.
Real Estate, Loans & Insurance.
Phone 1260. 113½ N. Tejon St.

NEW PROPERTY

Two 6-room houses, modern in every particular, and in walking distance. Buffet kitchen, beam ceiling, open fireplace, open stairs, large porch, cement basement, walks and drives Must be seen to be appreciated Come in and talk it over. Terms, if desired.

JOHN B. ORRIS & CO.
314 Mining Exchange.

FOR SALE.

A 5-room cottage, modern except heat, lot 50x150, lawn, shade trees, barn, chicken house, all in good condition; price is right, $1,750 will take it and it is worth the money.
Real Estate, Loans & Insurance.

A. B. Williams & Co.
Phone 1260. 113½ N. Tejon St.

AN excellent property in Ivywild; 7 rooms; modern except heat; must be sold. If you want property, don't miss this; can make terms.

JOHN B. ORRIS & CO.
314 Mining Exchange.

FOR SALE BY OWNER.

Brand new shingle cottage, modern except heat; has 5 large rooms, extra large porch, halls, closets, beautiful built-in sideboard, of leaded glass, two full lots; near car line and school. Address H-40, Gazette.

20 ACRES near Carlsbad, N. M., on the Pecos Valley, 3 miles from R. R. station and hustling town, to trade for small, modern home or good property in Springs. Value, $1,200.00 412 Alamo hotel.

LARGE LOT on North Institute street, dirt cheap. Address Josie Simpkins, Owner, San Jose, Cal.

FOR SALE—Equity in a 4-room, new, fully modern house, north. Address H-14, Gazette.

FOR SALE.

$2000.00

For this price we can offer you an income property close in, has one 10-room house and one 6-room house, lot 50x75. Will pay from 10 to 15 per cent on the investment. Come in and we will tell you more about it.

A. B. Williams & Co.
Phone 1260. 113½ N. Tejon St.

MONEY WANTED

$2,500, 8 per cent first mortgage farm loan.
$3,500, 7 per cent first mortgage farm loan,
$1,000, 8 per cent first mortgage city loan.

WESTERN REALTY CO.,
Phone 1174. 25 East Kiowa St.

FOR SALE—Several building lots in good additions to Colorado Springs. Address K-3, Gazette.

MONEY TO LOAN

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Any amount; lowest rates; no delay; fire, life, accident, burglary, plate glass; liability incurance, surety bonds; agent Prudential Insurance company.

W. W. WILLIAMSON
Rooms 40 and 41 First National Bank Bldg. Phone Main 676.

KINSMAN & WOLFE will loan you money on furniture, musical instruments, real estate, or most anything, at usual rate of interest. Business confidential.
KINSMAN & WOLFE,
404 Colorado Ave., Colorado City.

MONEY TO LOAN IN ANY AMOUNT CONSISTENT WITH THE SECURITY OFFERED. 670 EXCHANGE NAT'L BANK BLDG.

$25.00, $50.00, $75.00 or $100.00 on pianos, furniture, warehouse receipts, cattle; no commission; lowest rates and easy payments. Davis & Barney, 55 Bank Building.

MONEY to loan, any amount.

MILLER & ROCK
1012 Colo. Ave. Phone W. 54.

$3,500 TO LOAN on good security. T. E. Small, 28 East Kiowa St.

SEWING MACHINES

SEWING machines are selling like hot cakes at our closing out prices; only a few left. 8 East Kiowa.

MUSICAL

PIANO tuning; all work guaranteed. Phone 1019; Davis, 420 E. Pikes Peak

Wants

FOR SALE RANCHES

CAN you beat this land offer? $20 per acre, $2 cash, $2 weekly, no interest or taxes; 20 to 80 acres. Now working on irrigation ditches. 20 years to pay for water; near Lamar, Colo. Address H-6 Gazette.

WANTED Real Estate

WANTED—To buy a three to five-room house to be moved; must be worth the money.

STATE REALTY CO.
125 E. Pikes Peak Avenue.

PROFESSIONAL

SWITCHES, pompadours, puffs, made to order out of cut hair and combings at Mrs. Anna Bethman's Hair Dressing Parlors, 27 E. Kiowa. Red. 394

B. F. WADE, Dentist, Templeton block, Colorado City, Colo.

LOST

LOST—Tuesday evening on the Ute pass road between Captain Baldwin's quarters and Manitou, large black lynx rug muff, head and tail trimming Liberal reward for return to this office

DIAMOND ring on Tejon between Cucharas and Bijou, or in Whitney and Grimwood's store; also ring with small pearl setting. Reward at Gazette.

BETWEEN Colorado City and Colorado Springs a badge having P. F. Collier and Son Collector printed on it. Reward Gazette.

GUNNY sack, containing children's clothing, between Colorado Springs and Fountain, Colo. Please notify Gazette.

LOST—Fur glove, right hand, size 9, somewhere near El Paso club, or on North Nevada Ave. Please return to Gazette.

IF person who took kodak from 111 E. St Elmo St., Ivywild, Sunday night, will return same to this office they will receive reward; no questions asked.

BLACK fur collar between DeGraff building and Acacia hotel. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Pocketbook containing four dollars and five cents in silver. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Child's fur collar, Monday about 3 p. m. Return to Gazette office. Suitable reward.

LOST—Between Johnson Jewelry Co. and Kaufman's, lady's tan gauntlet glove. Please return to Gazette office.

LOST—Ladies Porcelain breast pin with miniature picture on. Suitable reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Black silk scarf, Sunday a. m., on Huerfano St. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—At Robbins' hall or on stairway, one $5 and one $1 bill. Reward at Gazette.

MARIBOU neckpiece at Broadmoor in front of Country club. Reward if returned to Gazette.

LOST—Front glass and rim to auto lamp between Manitou and Colorado Springs. Return to Gazette; reward.

POCKETBOOK containing about ninety dollars; currency and one gold piece. Reward. Gazette.

DON'T lose the chance to hear Fels, the millionaire reformer, tomorrow night.

GOLD covered fountain pen, Waterman make, initials engraved. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Fraternity pin; name Dr J. A. Patterson on back. Return this office. Reward.

LADY'S gold watch, No. 1370757. Elgin make. Reward, Gazette.

LOST—Gold chain bracelet, Friday, 3d. Return to Gazette for reward.

LOST—Large key on iron washer. Return to Gazette.

A PAIR of boy's shoes with new half soles and heels. Reward, Gazette.

LOST—Small gold locket, set with diamond. Reward at Gazette office.

GARNET stick pin; reward if returned to Gazette.

BROWN fur neckpiece. Reward at Gazette.

VACUUM CLEANERS

WE help house cleaners with our most powerful machines and best service Odabashian, 512 N. Tejon. Phone 1377

Electro-Thermatorium

THE ELECTRO THERMATORIUM
SANITARIAN TREATMENT ROOMS AND BATHS
134 South Tejon Street,
Next to Alamo Hotel Phone Main 1435

The above ad is set and has Colorado Springs Gazette by the Allied Printing Trades Council because it employs none but members of the Allied Printing Trades in all its departments.

Wants

FOR SALE Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—One 30-H. P. and one 8 H. P. stationary steam engine; good condition and running at present time; reason for selling, wish to increase capacity. Address H-100, care Gazette.

FOR SALE or trade, one $400 Columbia piano player, boudoir size, never used and now in storage, will sell cheap for cash or trade. Address K-2, Gazette.

FOR SALE—One high-grade piano; absolutely new; will sell cheap account taken in payment of debt, cash or installments. Address H-59, Gazette.

FOR SALE—One complete set of Mark Twain's works, brand new; never been opened, a big bargain account have duplicate set. Address H-98, Gazette.

LINING FOR HOUSES.
PRESED PAPER MATS, suitable for lining houses, tents, chicken houses, etc., for sale at Gazette office.

CLOSING OUT SALE of entire stock of sewing machines from $1.00 up; every machine guaranteed in perfect running order. A. G. Chase, 8 E Kiowa.

JUST received two (2) carloads of Jno. Deere farm machinery; a guarantee with every piece. Call for prices. Jno. Deere Plow Co. 17 W. Huerfano St.

WESTERN cottage organ in good condition; oak case bevel mirror, very cheap. 303½ S. Tejon street.

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine, pump and saw; cheap if taken at once. Call at 224 S. Tejon St.

ONE (1) covered milk wagon; must be sold quick. Jno. Deere Plow Co., 17 W. Huerfano St.

NEW strained honey, 10c pound by gallon, or 25c per pint. Banner Grocery, Huerfano and Wahsatch.

FOR SALE—Diamond ring, beautiful perfect white stone, trifle less than caret; $125. 325 Hagerman Bldg.

GARDINER TENT for sale cheap. 317 E. San Rafael.

FOR SALE—Lawn manure, $1.50 per load. Phone 722. 603 W. Huerfano.

PIANO for sale Good make, $150 cash. Address P. O. Box 947.

$400 HIGH grade upright piano for only $185 cash. P. O. Box 58.

5x7 GOERZ lens for sale. See Miller at Gazette.

FOR SALE Miscellaneous

BEST pine and grate wood, $2.50 per wagon load. Phone 1107.

NURSERY

GOOD assortment trees and shrubs. Clark's nursery 2400 Wood Ave.

WATCH REPAIRING

SPECIAL rates; watches cleaned, 50c; main springs, 50c. All work guaranteed. Highest price paid for old gold and silver. S Klein, 16 E Huerfano

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.
To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that on the second day of March, 1911, the City of Colorado Springs, Colo., will pay in full and discharge, at the Chemical National bank, of New York city, or at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Colorado Springs, Colo., thirty bonds numbered 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, of One thousand ($1,000.00) dollars each, bearing four (4) per centum interest, issued by the City of Colorado Springs, Colo., on January 2nd, 1900, and known as Water Works Extension bonds, optional January 2, 1910.
The said thirty (30) bonds, the City of Colorado Springs intend to pay on March 2, 1911.
The said bonds will cease to bear interest after March 2, 1911.
First publication, January 25, 1911.
Last publication, February 23, 1911.
F. A. BARTHOLOMEW,
City Treasurer

Said to be much safer than the old style twisted lightning rods is a new one made up of a number of bundles of copper wire, held by metallic plates that provide an air space around each bundle.

HOTEL MARTINIQUE
BROADWAY AND 33D STREET, HERALD SQUARE, N. Y. CITY.
THE MOST CENTRAL LOCATION IN NEW YORK.
THE HIGHEST CLASS OF ACCOMMODATIONS AT MODERATE RATES.
TRANSIENT RATES
Rooms, with Bath, $2 and up
Parlor, Bedroom and Bath, $5 and up
Suites by the Month or Year at attractive prices.
THE MOST REFINED AND POPULAR PUBLIC DINING ROOMS IN THE CITY.
WILLIAM TAYLOR & SON (INC.)
formerly of the St. Denis

SANTAL CAPSULES MIDY
URINARY DISCHARGES RELIEVED IN 24 HOURS
Each Capsule bears the name MIDY
ALL DRUGGISTS

Inflammations, Irritations or ulcerations of all mucous membranes, unnatural discharges from nose, throat or urinary organs.
Eig G
The remedy for Catarrh, Colds, Hay Fever
The Evans Chemical Co. U. S. A.
Sold by Druggists or in plain wrapper, express prepaid, on receipt of $1.00 or three bottles, $2.75. Booklet on request.

Piles! Piles! Piles!
Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Druggists, mail 50c and $1.00.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DENVER & RIO GRANDE

Effective Dec. 4, 1910.
City Ticket Office, 10 N. Tejon.
Phone Main 24.

SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.

No.	TO	Leave
1	Salt Lake City and Pacific Coast	10:40 am
5	Salt Lake and Pac. Coast	11:59 am
9	Pueblo, Canon City, Wichita and St. Louis	3:56 pm
11	Pueblo	6:40 pm
3	Glenwood, Utah, Pac. Coast	8:15 pm
7	Alamosa, Durango, Silverton	9:15 pm
19	Salida, Ouray, Leadville and Grand Junction	11:45 pm

NORTH AND EASTBOUND.

No.	FROM	Leave
10	Grand Junction, Leadville, Ouray, Salida and Alamosa	5:40 am
8	Pueblo	9:55 am
6	Pac. Coast and Salt Lake	10:26 am
10	Canon City and Pueblo	2:07 pm
2	Pac. Coast, Salt Lake, St. Louis, Wichita	5:13 pm
14	Pueblo	6:00 pm
4	Pac. Coast, Salt Lake and St. Louis	8:35 pm

Trains to Manitou:

41	7:30 am	41	8:25 am
43	10:50 am	44	11:25 am
45	4:15 pm	46	5:05 pm

SANTA FE

Corrected to January 15, 1911.
Union Station, East Pikes Peak Ave.

COLO. SPRINGS TO DENVER.

No.	Leave Colo. Springs.	Arrive Denver
—	5:50 am	8:20 a. m.
5	7:20 am	10:00 am
607	11:35 am	2:30 pm
1	12:55 pm	3:25 pm
11	3:00 pm	5:30 pm
601	4:15 pm	7:00 pm
3	6:28 pm	8:50 pm
15	8:30 pm	11:00 pm

DENVER TO COLORADO SPRINGS.

No.	Leave Denver	Arrive Colo. Spgs.
118	8:50 am	8:20 am
4	8:00 am	10:30 am
12	8:30 am	11:00 am
14	9:00 am	11:30 am
2	12:15 pm	2:05 pm
610	3:30 pm	6:15 pm
16	6:00 pm	8:30 pm
6	7:45 pm	10:20 pm

EASTBOUND AND CALIFORNIA.

No.		
603	Kansas City and Chicago, connecting with California Fast Mail	8:40 am
4	To Pueblo	10:35 am
12	Kansas City and Chicago	11:05 am
2	To Pueblo	2:55 pm
618	Kansas City and Chicago, Calif. Lim., connection	6:25 pm
6	Kansas City and Chicago	10:30 pm

C. C. HOYT, City Passenger Agent.
Phone Main 168.

ROCK ISLAND LINES

No.	LEAVE COLORADO SPRINGS.	
3	Rocky Mountain Limited, for Omaha and Chicago	9:00 am
26	Colo. Flyer for Kansas City, St. Louis	12:05 pm
29	Southeastern Exp. for Kansas City, St. Louis, Southeast	7:00 pm
6	Western Exp., Omaha, Chicago	9:40 pm
5	For Pueblo	8:00 am
39	For Pueblo	11:45 am
No.	ARRIVE IN COLORADO SPRINGS.	
5	Colorado Exp., from Chicago and Omaha	7:30 am
27	Western Exp., from St. Louis, Kansas City, Southeast	8:15 am
28	Colorado Flyer, from Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago	11:40 am
7	Rocky Mountain Limited, from Chicago and Omaha	1:25 pm
33	From Pueblo	12:30 pm
6	From Pueblo	9:20 pm

All meals in dining cars. Through sleepers and chair cars on all trains.
R. S. TORRINGTON, City Passenger Agent, 2 East Pikes Peak Ave.

COLORADO & SOUTHERN

110 East Pikes Peak Ave.
Phone Main 164.
Effective November 1, 1910.

No.	NORTHBOUND.	Leave
12	For Denver	5:50 am
5	For Denver	7:20 am
607	For Denver	11:35 am
1	For Denver, from Ft. Worth	12:55 pm
11	For Denver	3:00 pm
601	For Denver	4:15 pm
3	For Denver	6:20 pm
15	For Denver	8:30 pm

VIA ELBERT AND ELIZABETH.

17	For Denver (daily)	7:00 am

SOUTHBOUND.

614	For Pueblo	6:40 am
4	For Pueblo	10:35 am
12	For Pueblo	11:05 am
2	For Ft. Worth	2:55 pm
616	For Pueblo	6:25 pm
6	For Pueblo and Trinidad	10:30 pm

G. H. LOGAN, Commercial Agent.

THE CRIPPLE CREEK TRIP

"THE SHORT LINE."

Effective Sunday, September 11.

No.		
3	Daily—Leave Colo. Spgs.	10:40 am
	Arrive Cripple Creek	1:55 pm
4	Daily—Leave Cripple Creek	8:15 pm
	Arrive Colorado Springs	6:05 pm

Through coaches and observation cars between Denver, Cripple Creek and Victor via the C. & S. Ry. to and from Colorado Springs.
All trains arrive and depart from the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern station, Colorado Springs.

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Arrive		Leave
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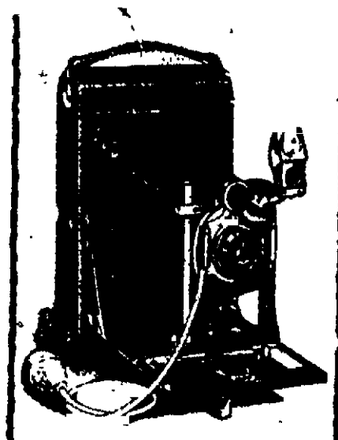

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Temperature at 6 a. m.	6
Temperature at 12 m.	12
Temperature at 6 p. m.	8
Maximum temperature	18
Minimum temperature	7
Mean temperature	12
Max. bar. pressure, inches	24.16
Min. bar. pressure, inches	24.12
Mean velocity of wind per hour	4
Relative humidity at noon	97
Dew point at noon	12
Precipitation in inches	.14

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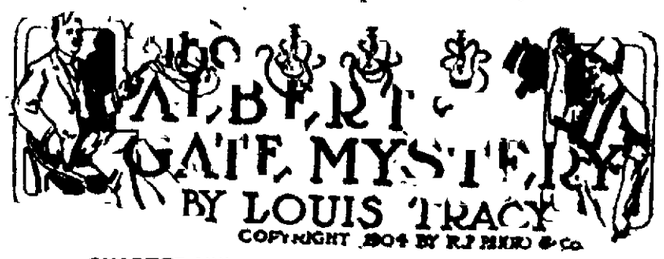
Colorado City News

The funeral of Mrs. W. Thrasher will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of Fuller and Boone. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

The Rev. G. C. Cress gave an interesting lecture last night on "Mexico." Rev. Mr. Cress has traveled extensively in this southern republic and gave many personal experiences of his visits.

Mrs. Celia Mattice will go to Rocky Ford today to get her 11-year-old son, Vance Mattice, who disappeared from home last Tuesday. The boy is at the home of an aunt.

Game birds have almost disappeared from the sections of France most frequented by aeronauts, who seem to have frightened the feathered fliers away.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CHAPTER VIII.

What Happened in the Rue Barbette.

Pending Fairholme's arrival, Brett was not idle. He visited a prominent jeweler in the Rue de la Paix, and, after making some trivial purchases, led the conversation to the question of diamonds. By skilful inquiry he ascertained a good deal about precious stones, both in their crude and their finished states. The accommodating Frenchman showed him a good many samples of South African, Brazilian and Indian stones, and explained to him the various tests which were used to determine their value.

Brett had no special object in seeking this information. When engaged in elucidating any mystery he made it an invariable rule to post himself as accurately as possible concerning all minor details which might, by any straining of circumstances, become useful.

He returned to his hotel and jotted down some notes of this conversation. Whilst engaged in the task a telegram arrived from the Earl of Fairholme announcing the nobleman's departure from London by the afternoon train service via Boulogne.

Punctually at the time appointed the earl reached the hotel. He was all eagerness to learn what had happened since they parted in London, and why Brett had so suddenly summoned him to Paris.

"I really have not much definite information," said the barrister. "Thus far I am building chiefly on surmise, but I have undoubtedly come into contact with the persons who organized and planned, if they did not actually carry out, the raid on the Albert Gate mansion."

"Then you have news of Jack?" broke in Fairholme excitedly.

"Not exactly. All I can do at present is to assure you that the scent is hot, and we may run our quarry to earth some few minutes after 11 o'clock tomorrow morning."

"I am jolly glad that there is a chance of my being useful in this matter," said the earl gleefully. "If only I am a little bit instrumental in recovering her brother, Edith hasn't got a leg to stand on in the matter of getting married. That's awkwardly put, isn't it? What I mean is that when Talbot is restored to his family and everything is satisfactorily cleared up, Edith and I can get spliced immediately, can't we?"

"I regard it as the most assured fact we have yet encountered," said Brett, pleasantly.

"But you haven't told me yet the exact manner in which I can be useful."

"No," said the barrister. "I have been revolving in my mind the possibilities of tomorrow morning, and you must play an important part in what, by chance, may turn out to be a melodrama. Now, listen to me carefully. In the neighborhood of the Porte St. Martin there is a street known as the Rue Barbette. At eleven o'clock tomorrow I go to the house No. 11 in the street, and you will accompany me as far as the door. It will be your duty to stand outside and take note of all persons who enter or leave the house once I have disappeared from view in the interior. You must exercise your powers of observation most minutely, paying heed to the height, build, complexion, and clothing of any individual, male or female, who enters or leaves No. 11 Rue Barbette, after you have taken your stand in the street. It is more than probable that no person will demand scrutiny, unless it be some chance tradesman's assistant visiting the building in pursuance of his ordinary work. However, do you feel capable of attending to this part of the program?"

"Perfectly."

"You will maintain watch until 11.30. If at that hour I have not rejoined you, make your way to the nearest policeman, and tell him that you have good reason to believe that a friend of yours has either been murdered or suffered serious personal injury in a room on the second story of the house in question. You will then, in company with the policeman, come rapidly to the apartment I have indicated and demand an immediate entrance—if necessary bursting the door open."

"And what then?" gasped the amazed earl.

"I really don't know," said Brett imperturbably. "It is possible you may find my gory corpse in one of the inner rooms. The best I can hope for is that I shall be simply a prisoner, but I fully expect to be seriously injured at the very least."

"But look here, Brett: are you doing the right thing in this matter? Why on earth should you run such an awful risk, and take it alone, too? Isn't it possible to obtain some trustworthy detective to keep watch in the street, and let me go into the place with you? Don't you see, old chap, that two of us might make a reasonable show if violence is attempted? One man hasn't much chance."

The barrister cut short his friend's protestation.

"I sent for you, Lord Fairholme," he said, "because I felt that I could trust you to obey my instructions implicitly. This is a matter in which I do not want the police to interfere. My visit to the Rue Barbette tomorrow morning may end quite satisfactorily. If it does, we shall be in possession of important information leading to the prompt release of Mr Talbot. If it fails there will certainly be some shooting or stabbing, or perhaps an attempt may be made to keep me a prisoner. This latter eventuality renders the presence of the police essential. No matter what has happened to me, they will, with your assistance, be able to take up the inquiry exactly where I leave it off. In this notebook here, which I am placing in a locked drawer"—and he suited his action to the words—"you will find details of all that I have done up to the present moment, together with the lines along which future inquiries should proceed. In particular, you will find an elaboration of the theory which I expect tomorrow's visit to confirm. You fully understand me? All this anticipates that after 11:30 tomorrow I shall be personally unable to conduct the investigation further."

"Yes," agreed the earl, with rueful emphasis. "I fully understand the proposition, and I tell you, Brett, I don't like it. There has been enough blood spilt in this beastly business already, and I feel a sort of personal responsibility for you, you know, because I brought you into it."

"Then," said the barrister, with a laugh, "I solemnly acquit you of any such responsibility. I am going into the business with my eyes open. It interests me strangely, and I would not abandon the quest now, on any account."

"But can't you explain matters a little more clearly? Is it necessary that I should be kept in the dark as to the circumstances which have led up to this critical movement tomorrow?"

"Not in the least. It is, indeed, very important that you should comprehend all that has gone before; I only started at the end, so to speak, so as to fix accurately in your mind your part of the business, which now stands separate and distinctly outlined in your memory. What I am going to tell you simply leads up to the expected denouement."

He then recited to the wondering earl the whole of the curious events which had happened during the preceding 24 hours.

It was late when they got to bed, but they rested well, and, after the manner of their race, fortified themselves with a good breakfast against the trials of the day, whatever these might prove to be. A few minutes before the appointed hour they quitted a fiacre in the vicinity of the Rue Barbette, and at 11 o'clock Brett passed the concierge, whilst Fairholme took up his stand outside.

The barrister was received with smiling complacence by Hussein-ul-Mulk. On this occasion he was conducted to another room of the flat, and he promptly noted that the windows looked out to the rear of the building, whereas during his previous visit he could survey the street.

"This promises badly," said Brett to himself, but he betrayed not the slightest unwillingness to fall in with the arrangements made for his reception, and lounged back in a comfortable chair so easily that not even the quick-witted Turk suspected that the barrister's hip pocket contained a very serviceable revolver.

Hussein-ul-Mulk commenced the conversation. "I have," he said, "a couple of friends here who are interested in the matter you were good enough to mention to me yesterday. With your permission I will introduce them," and he threw open another door with a single Turkish word which Brett imagined was an invitation to enter.

Two men came from an adjoining room. They were Turks—swarthy, evil-looking customers, but well-dressed, and evidently persons of consequence in their own country. The new-comers eyed the barrister curiously, and with no very friendly intent.

A brief conversation in Turkish resulted in Hussein-ul-Mulk addressing Brett.

"I must apologize for the fact that my friends here only speak their native tongue. Before we proceed to business I wish to ask you a few questions."

"Certainly," said Brett; "go ahead."

"You mentioned to me yesterday that you had no desire to invoke the aid of the police in prosecuting the inquiry which interests you."

"Quite right," said Brett.

"May I ask if you have adhered to that intention?"

"Absolutely."

"Well, Mr. — Mr." — Hussein-ul-Mulk consulted a visiting card—"Mr. Reginald Brett, I think, is your name. It would be idle on my part to compliment you on your bravery, but it would be still more futile to attempt to conceal from you the danger of the position in which you now stand."

"Sit," corected Brett, still smiling.

"Well, said the Turk, "we will not quibble about words. The fact remains, Mr. Brett, that you have needlessly thrust yourself into an enterprise of such a desperate character that all interlopers can be dealt with only in one way."

"You kill them," said Brett, airly.

The gang who effected the robbery had me in their power."

"Yes," said the Turk, "I deeply regret to inform you that you have guessed the object of my remarks with the singular skill you have already betrayed in reaching the existing position. I can only add that I am surprised the same skill did not influence you to avoid forcing upon us the only alternative left."

"Am I to be killed at once?" said Brett, speaking with a slight affection of boredom.

Even the self-possessed Turk could not conceal his amazement at the manner in which his strange visitor conducted himself.

"That is a point we have not yet decided," he said. "We are strangely unwilling to take the life of such a brave man as yourself. If we were assured of your silence, we would even be disposed to permit you to escape this time, with a solemn warning not to cross our path again. But we feel that clemency is out of the question. There is only one hope—a slight one, it is true—which may permit us to gag you and tie you securely in this room, where you will be left in peace for at least 48 hours, after which time a telegram can be dispatched to any address you choose to supply us with. But really, owing to unforeseen circumstances, this chance of a reprieve is remote. It wholly depends upon the arrival, or otherwise, at this house, of a gentleman whom we expect at 11·15."

Brett leaned forward in his chair, and took out his watch. The other misunderstood his movement, and each of the three men promptly produced a revolver.

Brett laughed quite heartily. "Really, gentlemen," he cried, "your nervousness is ludicrous."

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